

Dutch Stamps Help Red Cross

Cincinnati Youth Wins Design Contest

Richard L. Dallow, a thirteen year old Boy Scout of 1921 Wilbur Terrace, Cincinnati 30, Ohio, won first prize of \$25 in the Gadsden Purchase Centennial Stamp Design Contest conducted by the Cochise Stamp Club of Douglas, Arizona.

A variety of designs from all parts of the United States were submitted. The winning design pictured James Gadsden, the Seals of Arizona and New Mexico and a map of the purchased area.

The second prize of \$15 was won by Robert E. Marley, 6108 Hargis St., Los Angeles 34, Calif., and the third prize of \$10 was won by Donald L. Folger, 708 12th St., Douglas, Arizona.

All designs submitted were on display in a Douglas downtown display window from Wednesday July 22 to Friday July 24, after which the three winning designs were sent to the Post Office Department for consideration.

The \$25 first prize was donated by the Douglas Chamber of Commerce; the \$15 second prize by the Coca Cola Bottling Co.; and the third of \$10 by the Cochise Stamp Club.

Find New Watermark On Trieste Stamps

According to Joseph Bush, Chula Vista, Calif. Trieste stamps have a new type watermark which seems to have been overlooked by most of the collectors of such issues. Some time in 1952 a smaller size than previously employed was added to the paper.

Stamps with this new one are: "Work Set" — 50c, 1, 2, 5, 6, 10, 12, 15, 20, 25, 35, 40, and 60 Lire; "Authorized Delivery" — 20L (Scott EY5); "Airmail" — 100L (C23); "Postage Due" — 5, 20, 100L; "Parcel Post" — 5, 10, 20, 30 and 300L.

Also according to Mr. Bush there are two types of the 200L Work set, an olive brown perforated 14 x 14, and an olive perforated 13 1/2 x 14.

No longer in stock at Trieste post offices are the 25L airmail and the 6, 8 and 12 Lire Postage Dues. Because there is no need for these they will not be printed in additional quantities.

Specialist Society Achieves A "First"

The Booklet Pane Society, whose members specialize in the collecting of Stamp Booklets from those of the world's nations which issue them, achieved some desirable publicity recently in what is thought to be a "first" of its kind.

It contracted with the Israel Postal Administration for the back cover or space of a postal booklet. There the name and address of the group was given as well as an invitation to interested persons to join it.

News of the accomplishment was carried in the club's official organ, "The Booklet". Copies of The Booklet are available without cost from Harry Moskovitz, 6769 Groton St., Forest Hills, N.Y.

Military Stamp Club Chooses New Officers

Lieut. Col. T. J. Hieatt of Fort Bliss, Texas, has been elected president of the Border Armed Forces Stamp and Coin Society. Membership embraces commissioned military personnel and warrant officers, active and retired, in the El Paso, Texas, area. Military installations in that area include White Sands Proving Ground, Biggs Air Force Base and Fort Bliss. Capt. Stanley M. Lucas is vice-president of the organization.



SMITHSONIAN EXHIBITS UN MATERIAL. In the rotunda of the Arts and Industries Bldg. of the Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C. a display of United Nations philatelic material was set up in a public exhibition. On hand for the inaugural were, from left to right, Dr. Remington Kellogg, National Museum director; Dr. John L. Keddy, Smithsonian assistant secretary; Reidar Tvedt, chief of the UN Postal Administration; and Dr. Luis Thomen, Dominican Republic ambassador and chairman of the UN stamp design committee.

Colorful Steady Flow Of Free Territory Of Trieste Issues Began In Late 1948

By Bert Happ
CHAPTER V

Trieste Philatelic Congress, September 8-12, 1948.

This Congress was sponsored by and run by the Circolo Filatelico Triestino in conjunction with the Sindacato Triveneto Commercianti, under the patronage of local authorities and with the authorization of the Allied Military Government. It opened Wednesday morning September 8 at 10:30 in the Municipio in Trieste, and the Exposition was officially begun at 11:30 that morning. The feature lecture was given by Prof. Carlo Ravisini on Thursday. His subject was Tuscany Precursors and Tuscany Military Post. Evenings were spent at various locations in the F.T.T. area, while on Friday evening a banquet was held at the Bottega del Vino del Castello di San Giusto.

Saturday saw excursions to Redipuglia and Gorizia. The Congress closed Sunday evening, September 12 at 9 p.m.



The posthorn overprint was authorized by the Allied Military Government as was locally overprinted.

The Posthorn was part of the equipment of the couriers of the Bergamo Express Company, and likewise appeared on the shield that each courier was required to wear. This consisted of an emblem showing the posthorn, spear and whip, symbols of their service.

The Bergamo Express Company was run by the Tasso family (Taxis in Germany) and for years carried the mail all over Europe before regular government mail service was established.

The posthorn had a practical use. It was sounded to have the gates of walled towns and castles opened to the couriers, and at the approach to ferries to ready them for an immediate crossing of the river.

At the various company relay stations the posthorn was sounded as the courier approached so that the attendant would prepare fresh horses and equipment for a quick change so that the mail would be expressed on with the minimum delay.

The company rules even directed the attendant to sleep with his head toward the road so that he might be able to hear the horn better and rise immediately to prepare for the relay.

Bassano Bridge

Bassano del Grappa is a town of Venetia, 24 miles northeast of Vicenza. Here the River, Brenta was

spanned by a covered wooden bridge. On September 8, 1796, the bridge was blown up by the French under Napoleon I, while defeating the Austrians at Bassano.

The covered wooden bridge was built to replace it. This in turn was blown up by the Germans while retreating in World War II.



"Sul Ponte Di Bassano Noi Ci Darem La Mano," an inscription on the stamp, refers to the help rendered by the Alpine Soldiers in reconstructing this bridge, which is called the Ponte degli Alpini. The Alpine soldier in the design looks toward the completed work, done to commemorate the wearers of the Long Black Feather. The date, October 3, 1948, commemorates the opening of the bridge. Its first day in Trieste was October 15, 1948.

100th Death Anniversary Of Gaetano Donizetti

Gaetano Donizetti was born at Bergamo in 1797 and died there in 1848. He trained at the Bergamo Music School and the Bologna



Liceo. He began composing in 1816 against the opposition of his family, which opposition caused him to join (Continued on page 2)

Netherlands Semipostals Due August 24; Swiss Item For Airport Inauguration

Two of the world's most popular nations in the stamp collector's "Hit Parade" are The Netherlands and Switzerland both of which have announced attractive new issues for release in the last full week of this month. The former will release five semipostals with a Red Cross theme on August 24, and the latter a single commemorative in four colors to mark the inauguration of service at the Zurich-Kloten International Airport. The surtax from the Dutch semipostals will be devoted to the needs of the Red Cross Society of The Netherlands. The Swiss item is strictly a commemorative-propaganda piece.

Each of the Holland semipostals will have the cross in red while the second color is listed with the design, designer, and denominations. Only the 10c plus 5c is in a single color.



The low value 2c plus 3c pictures the red cross emblem in a sepia after a design by P. Wetselaar. A Red Cross worker complete with a "Mae West" life jacket and lamp is to be seen on the 6c plus 4c dark violet. This stamp and the following two are designed by F. Montens.

A baby figures in the design of the 7c plus 5c gray green. It is being carried through flood waters to a Red Cross truck by a Red Cross worker. A nurse helping give a blood transfusion to a male patient is pictured in the 10c plus 5c red.

Flying Red Cross flags occupy the design of the 25c plus 8c steel blue. P. Wetselaar is the designer. Each of the denominations have been produced from engraved plates in sheets of 100. The paper is unwatermarked and the perforation is 12 1/2 x 12. Joh. Enschede and Sons, Ltd. of Haarlem were the printers.

Collectors can purchase these at face value from the Philatelic Service, The Hague, Netherlands. The face value in United States currency is 20 cents. Payment can be made by international money order, dollar bills, or certified check. Stamps and coins are not acceptable as payment.

The Philatelic Service will also affix the above stamps to the prepared covers of collectors to be mailed on the first day of issue. Covers must arrive before the first day of August 24 with a legible name and address on them and containing a stuffer. Airmail is suggested since sea-mail will take up to three weeks.

Two months, August 24 to October 23, will be the time of sale of these semipostals.



The Administration Building of the Zurich-Kloten International Airport as seen past the vertical rudder of a plane occupies the design of the Swiss commem. It will have its first day of issue on August 29. Its sale and validity will both

terminate on December 31.

In a 40c denomination, printing will be by rotary photogravure in four colors, blue, gray, blue and red. The firm of Courvoisier of La Chaux de Fonds is the printer.

Two Zurich artists conceived the design, Eugene and Max Lenz. Special post cards and special envelopes cancelled bearing the new stamp, or uncanceled have been prepared for the organizing committee and will be made available to foreign stamp collectors through the Philatelic Agency at Berne.

Unaddressed and unfranked cards and envelopes are sold at 50 centimes.

Addressed and prepaid with the special stamp at 1 franc per card or envelope. Cancellation will be applied on the first day of issue, August 29, or on the second day of the celebration at the Zurich Airport on August 30. Purchasers can order both dates or either one, but they must designate which.

Cards or envelopes prepaid with the new stamp, but unaddressed, can also be purchased at 1 franc each. Collectors can have one of a variety of postmarks applied to each—they must designate their choice.

These are: "Wertzeichverkaufstelle", "Schweiz PTT Museum", "Bern 7, Briefannahme", "Bern Ausgabestag", "Bern Jour d'emission" and "Berna Giorno d'emissione". The last three named cancellations are only used on the first day of issue August 29.

On Swiss franc (100 centimes) is currently worth approximately 25c in United States currency. Payments for stamps and services can be made by money order or certified check. Orders and payments are to be sent to the Philatelic Agency, Direction General of PTT, Bollwerk 8, Berne, Switzerland.

An amount must be included to pay the return postage cost of stamps and unaddressed covers.

Evita Peron On Argentina Stationery

Additional postal stationery is due at some future date over and above the two pieces released July 14 by Argentina. On that date, according to H. G. Spanton of Buenos Aires, Argentina a 20c closed letter card which sells to the public for 35c, and double International postal cards each with a face of 15c and a surtax of 15c, were placed on sale.

Both bear the likeness of Eva Peron. At the time of the original decree which provided for stamps and other items with her portrait the plan was to have stamped envelopes, airmail letter sheets and aerograms.

Devaluate Israel Pound August 1

According to the Israel Philatelic Agency in America, Israel on August 1 devalued its Pound. Formerly one United States dollar would buy one Israel Pound, one pound consisting of 1000 pruta.

The new rate is 1800 pruta for a dollar or 1.8 Pounds. This amounts to an 80% increase in the buying power of the dollar.

Israel stamps withdrawn from sale on July 31 are the Jerusalem 250p.; University 100p.; Negev 500p.; Menora 1000p.; Z.O.A. 220p.; Airmail 1000p.

JUMBO APPROVALS
NEW ISSUES • AIRMAILS
SEMI-POSTALS • SLEEPERS
Up to 5000 different stamps
@ 1c net each, all alphabetically arranged and in chronological order.
MENTION NUMBER OF STAMPS & YOUR COLLECTION
REFERENCES PLEASE • WRITE TODAY!
TATHAM STAMP CO.
DEPT. 80 SPRINGFIELD, MASS.

FREE!
Catalog of our next public sale of wonderful U. S. material. A nice range of blocks, sheets, single items, and wholesale material is included.
LEE GILBERT
Room 1005, 116 Nassau St.
New York 38, N. Y.

BIG U.S. CATALOG
FOR ONLY 10c!
Now! Send for this handy, new, profusely illustrated Guide to U. S. Stamp! Also lists Albums, Supplies, Pockets, etc. Published by world's largest stamp firm. Money-saving special offers & approvals included.
M. E. HARRIS & CO. D-13, Boston 17, Mass.

VENEZUELA
Anything from this country or any other country on approval for a list of your needs.
U. S. SPECIAL MINT
LINE PAIR #497 — \$6.00
THE STAMP HOUSE
35 Court St. Buffalo 2, N. Y.

WANTED
MINT FARLEY PARKS
Imperforate only
Please make offers on any of this material you care to sell.
Can use sheets, sets, etc.
J. MERRITT BRUNDIGE
CAMBRIDGE, N. Y.

43 Herrick Drive Phone Cedarhurst 9-3729 Lawrence, L. I., N. Y.

Ludwig von Beethoven, German composer, is pictured on a Saar stamp.

FLEETWOOD COVERS

Order your Fleetwood Engraved Envelopes from your dealer or:

Fleetwood Cover Service
PLEASANTVILLE, N. Y.

Enjoy The Hobby Of Kings

at lowest cost to you. Large selections from 1c up. Inner Mongolia #3-6 Free to New Applicants.
EDWIN A. BOWDITCH
Bloomfield 3, Conn.
King size approvals
(Copyright 1947)

EQUITABLE STAMP CO.

May we have your
British Empire
Want Lists?

505 Fifth Ave.,
New York 17, N. Y.

Beautiful Belgium

Out for Cash! Catalogue Sale
Price Price
25 Semi-postals, 23 mint... \$1.34 \$.50
Cat. No. B331 with tab, mint 2.00 1.00
(only a few)
Cat. No. B178 miniature, mint 1.50 .75
(a few only)
In W. Va. please add 2% sales tax.
C. Lat. Wilhelm & Son, Inc.
P.O. Box 172, Kingwood, West Va.

United States Exclusively

BIG ENOUGH TO SERVE YOU AND
SMALL ENOUGH TO HUMBLY APPRE-
CIATE YOUR PATRONAGE. SAME LOCA-
TION FOR TWENTY YEARS.
YOUR INQUIRIES INVITED.

JOHN D. HAYES N.P.S.
15377 Kentucky Ave. Detroit 21, Mich.

FINE MINT AT LOW PRICES

France 325-26 Jean Mermoz comm 47c
330-31—Descartes issue 17c
382A N. Y. Worlds Fair 22c
Finland B65-66—Red Cross Issue 14c
Germany—B231-36—Hitlers Birthday 18c
452-53—War Heroes Day 18c
506-27 Hitlers issue 23c
Netherlands B249-53 Flowers 30c
Postage extra on orders under \$1.00.
A. J. GAGNIER
1917 E. County Road 5, St. Paul 19, Minn.

Scott's Specialty Albums

and all old and new supplements for
Scott-White Ace-Naribo-Crest and
Dance Albums and Lindner Pages.
Ultra Violet and Mineralite

INT'L STAMP BUREAU

125 W. ADAMS DETROIT 26, MICH.

FOREIGN Stamps ON APPROVAL

WANTED more Customers for this Service
which was established in 1923. Our large
stock of WORLD WIDE stamps at your
disposal

MENTION YOUR REQUIREMENTS
Reference or Club Membership #s required
ALFRED G. BOERGER
P.O. Box 52, Sta. "A", Toledo 5, Ohio

POSTAL RARITY

Unredeemed Money Order issued
Virginia City, Nevada, July 6, '71,
\$10.00 #9681 (Gold Rush Period).
Condition Fine. Make Offer.
DR. V. J. MEADS,
P. O. Box 5, Portsmouth, Va.

WANTED TO BUY

Collections, Accumulations
Better Grade Singles
Especially BRITISH EMPIRE
Our Buying Prices are Always Fair
What Do You Have To Offer?
STAR STAMP CO.
593 Fifth Ave., N.Y. 17, N.Y.

USED U. S. STAMPS

START OR FILL IN YOUR
UNITED STATES COLLECTION

in EACH—#158 210 213 219 220 231 250
264 279 300 301 319 331 332 434 436 497
504 508 608 634 635 637 638 639 640
641 642 653 684 685 686 692 693 696 698
699 700 701 706 707 708 709 710 711 718
720 721 722 723 724 725 726 727 728 729
730 731 732 733 734 735 736 737 738 739
740 741 742 743 744 745 746 747 748 749
750 751 752 753 754 755 756 757 758 759
760 761 762 763 764 765 766 767 768 769
770 771 772 773 774 775 776 777 778 779
780 781 782 783 784 785 786 787 788 789
790 791 792 793 794 795 796 797 798 799
800 801 802 803 804 805 806 807 808 809
810 811 812 813 814 815 816 817 818 819
820 821 822 823 824 825 826 827 828 829
830 831 832 833 834 835 836 837 838 839
840 841 842 843 844 845 846 847 848 849
850 851 852 853 854 855 856 857 858 859
860 861 862 863 864 865 866 867 868 869
870 871 872 873 874 875 876 877 878 879
880 881 882 883 884 885 886 887 888 889
890 891 892 893 894 895 896 897 898 899
900 901 902 903 904 905 906 907 908 909
910 911 912 913 914 915 916 917 918 919
920 921 922 923 924 925 926 927 928 929
930 931 932 933 934 935 936 937 938 939
940 941 942 943 944 945 946 947 948 949
950 951 952 953 954 955 956 957 958 959
960 961 962 963 964 965 966 967 968 969
970 971 972 973 974 975 976 977 978 979
980 981 982 983 984 985 986 987 988 989
990 991 992 993 994 995 996 997 998 999
C25 C26 C27 C28 C29 C30 C31 C32 C33 C34
C35 C36 C37 C38 C39 C40 C41 C42 C43 C44
C45 C46 C47 C48 C49 C50 C51 C52 C53 C54
C55 C56 C57 C58 C59 C60 C61 C62 C63 C64
C65 C66 C67 C68 C69 C70 C71 C72 C73 C74
C75 C76 C77 C78 C79 C80 C81 C82 C83 C84
C85 C86 C87 C88 C89 C90 C91 C92 C93 C94
C95 C96 C97 C98 C99 C100 C101 C102 C103
C104 C105 C106 C107 C108 C109 C110 C111
C112 C113 C114 C115 C116 C117 C118 C119
C120 C121 C122 C123 C124 C125 C126 C127
C128 C129 C130 C131 C132 C133 C134 C135
C136 C137 C138 C139 C140 C141 C142 C143
C144 C145 C146 C147 C148 C149 C150 C151
C152 C153 C154 C155 C156 C157 C158 C159
C160 C161 C162 C163 C164 C165 C166 C167
C168 C169 C170 C171 C172 C173 C174 C175
C176 C177 C178 C179 C180 C181 C182 C183
C184 C185 C186 C187 C188 C189 C190 C191
C192 C193 C194 C195 C196 C197 C198 C199
C200 C201 C202 C203 C204 C205 C206 C207
C208 C209 C210 C211 C212 C213 C214 C215
C216 C217 C218 C219 C220 C221 C222 C223
C224 C225 C226 C227 C228 C229 C230 C231
C232 C233 C234 C235 C236 C237 C238 C239
C240 C241 C242 C243 C244 C245 C246 C247
C248 C249 C250 C251 C252 C253 C254 C255
C256 C257 C258 C259 C260 C261 C262 C263
C264 C265 C266 C267 C268 C269 C270 C271
C272 C273 C274 C275 C276 C277 C278 C279
C280 C281 C282 C283 C284 C285 C286 C287
C288 C289 C290 C291 C292 C293 C294 C295
C296 C297 C298 C299 C300 C301 C302 C303
C304 C305 C306 C307 C308 C309 C310 C311
C312 C313 C314 C315 C316 C317 C318 C319
C320 C321 C322 C323 C324 C325 C326 C327
C328 C329 C330 C331 C332 C333 C334 C335
C336 C337 C338 C339 C340 C341 C342 C343
C344 C345 C346 C347 C348 C349 C350 C351
C352 C353 C354 C355 C356 C357 C358 C359
C360 C361 C362 C363 C364 C365 C366 C367
C368 C369 C370 C371 C372 C373 C374 C375
C376 C377 C378 C379 C380 C381 C382 C383
C384 C385 C386 C387 C388 C389 C390 C391
C392 C393 C394 C395 C396 C397 C398 C399
C400 C401 C402 C403 C404 C405 C406 C407
C408 C409 C410 C411 C412 C413 C414 C415
C416 C417 C418 C419 C420 C421 C422 C423
C424 C425 C426 C427 C428 C429 C430 C431
C432 C433 C434 C435 C436 C437 C438 C439
C440 C441 C442 C443 C444 C445 C446 C447
C448 C449 C450 C451 C452 C453 C454 C455
C456 C457 C458 C459 C460 C461 C462 C463
C464 C465 C466 C467 C468 C469 C470 C471
C472 C473 C474 C475 C476 C477 C478 C479
C480 C481 C482 C483 C484 C485 C486 C487
C488 C489 C490 C491 C492 C493 C494 C495
C496 C497 C498 C499 C500 C501 C502 C503
C504 C505 C506 C507 C508 C509 C510 C511
C512 C513 C514 C515 C516 C517 C518 C519
C520 C521 C522 C523 C524 C525 C526 C527
C528 C529 C530 C531 C532 C533 C534 C535
C536 C537 C538 C539 C540 C541 C542 C543
C544 C545 C546 C547 C548 C549 C550 C551
C552 C553 C554 C555 C556 C557 C558 C559
C560 C561 C562 C563 C564 C565 C566 C567
C568 C569 C570 C571 C572 C573 C574 C575
C576 C577 C578 C579 C580 C581 C582 C583
C584 C585 C586 C587 C588 C589 C590 C591
C592 C593 C594 C595 C596 C597 C598 C599
C600 C601 C602 C603 C604 C605 C606 C607
C608 C609 C610 C611 C612 C613 C614 C615
C616 C617 C618 C619 C620 C621 C622 C623
C624 C625 C626 C627 C628 C629 C630 C631
C632 C633 C634 C635 C636 C637 C638 C639
C640 C641 C642 C643 C644 C645 C646 C647
C648 C649 C650 C651 C652 C653 C654 C655
C656 C657 C658 C659 C660 C661 C662 C663
C664 C665 C666 C667 C668 C669 C670 C671
C672 C673 C674 C675 C676 C677 C678 C679
C680 C681 C682 C683 C684 C685 C686 C687
C688 C689 C690 C691 C692 C693 C694 C695
C696 C697 C698 C699 C700 C701 C702 C703
C704 C705 C706 C707 C708 C709 C710 C711
C712 C713 C714 C715 C716 C717 C718 C719
C720 C721 C722 C723 C724 C725 C726 C727
C728 C729 C730 C731 C732 C733 C734 C735
C736 C737 C738 C739 C740 C741 C742 C743
C744 C745 C746 C747 C748 C749 C750 C751
C752 C753 C754 C755 C756 C757 C758 C759
C760 C761 C762 C763 C764 C765 C766 C767
C768 C769 C770 C771 C772 C773 C774 C775
C776 C777 C778 C779 C780 C781 C782 C783
C784 C785 C786 C787 C788 C789 C790 C791
C792 C793 C794 C795 C796 C797 C798 C799
C800 C801 C802 C803 C804 C805 C806 C807
C808 C809 C810 C811 C812 C813 C814 C815
C816 C817 C818 C819 C820 C821 C822 C823
C824 C825 C826 C827 C828 C829 C830 C831
C832 C833 C834 C835 C836 C837 C838 C839
C840 C841 C842 C843 C844 C845 C846 C847
C848 C849 C850 C851 C852 C853 C854 C855
C856 C857 C858 C859 C860 C861 C862 C863
C864 C865 C866 C867 C868 C869 C870 C871
C872 C873 C874 C875 C876 C877 C878 C879
C880 C881 C882 C883 C884 C885 C886 C887
C888 C889 C890 C891 C892 C893 C894 C895
C896 C897 C898 C899 C900 C901 C902 C903
C904 C905 C906 C907 C908 C909 C910 C911
C912 C913 C914 C915 C916 C917 C918 C919
C920 C921 C922 C923 C924 C925 C926 C927
C928 C929 C930 C931 C932 C933 C934 C935
C936 C937 C938 C939 C940 C941 C942 C943
C944 C945 C946 C947 C948 C949 C950 C951
C952 C953 C954 C955 C956 C957 C958 C959
C960 C961 C962 C963 C964 C965 C966 C967
C968 C969 C970 C971 C972 C973 C974 C975
C976 C977 C978 C979 C980 C981 C982 C983
C984 C985 C986 C987 C988 C989 C990 C991
C992 C993 C994 C995 C996 C997 C998 C999
C1000 C1001 C1002 C1003 C1004 C1005 C1006
C1007 C1008 C1009 C1010 C1011 C1012 C1013
C1014 C1015 C1016 C1017 C1018 C1019 C1020
C1021 C1022 C1023 C1024 C1025 C1026 C1027
C1028 C1029 C1030 C1031 C1032 C1033 C1034
C1035 C1036 C1037 C1038 C1039 C1040 C1041
C1042 C1043 C1044 C1045 C1046 C1047 C1048
C1049 C1050 C1051 C1052 C1053 C1054 C1055
C1056 C1057 C1058 C1059 C1060 C1061 C1062
C1063 C1064 C1065 C1066 C1067 C1068 C1069
C1070 C1071 C1072 C1073 C1074 C1075 C1076
C1077 C1078 C1079 C1080 C1081 C1082 C1083
C1084 C1085 C1086 C1087 C1088 C1089 C1090
C1091 C1092 C1093 C1094 C1095 C1096 C1097
C1098 C1099 C1100 C1101 C1102 C1103 C1104
C1105 C1106 C1107 C1108 C1109 C1110 C1111
C1112 C1113 C1114 C1115 C1116 C1117 C1118
C1119 C1120 C1121 C1122 C1123 C1124 C1125
C1126 C1127 C1128 C1129 C1130 C1131 C1132
C1133 C1134 C1135 C1136 C1137 C1138 C1139
C1140 C1141 C1142 C1143 C1144 C1145 C1146
C1147 C1148 C1149 C1150 C1151 C1152 C1153
C1154 C1155 C1156 C1157 C1158 C1159 C1160
C1161 C1162 C1163 C1164 C1165 C1166 C1167
C1168 C1169 C1170 C1171 C1172 C1173 C1174
C1175 C1176 C1177 C1178 C1179 C1180 C1181
C1182 C1183 C1184 C1185 C1186 C1187 C1188
C1189 C1190 C1191 C1192 C1193 C1194 C1195
C1196 C1197 C1198 C1199 C1200 C1201 C1202
C1203 C1204 C1205 C1206 C1207 C1208 C1209
C1210 C1211 C1212 C1213 C1214 C1215 C1216
C1217 C1218 C1219 C1220 C1221 C1222 C1223
C1224 C1225 C1226 C1227 C1228 C1229 C1230
C1231 C1232 C1233 C1234 C1235 C1236 C1237
C1238 C1239 C1240 C1241 C1242 C1243 C1244
C1245 C1246 C1247 C1248 C1249 C1250 C1251
C1252 C1253 C1254 C1255 C1256 C1257 C1258
C1259 C1260 C1261 C1262 C1263 C1264 C1265
C1266 C1267 C1268 C1269 C1270 C1271 C1272
C1273 C1274 C1275 C1276 C1277 C1278 C1279
C1280 C1281 C1282 C1283 C1284 C1285 C1286
C1287 C1288 C1289 C1290 C1291 C1292 C1293
C1294 C1295 C1296 C1297 C1298 C1299 C1300
C1301 C1302 C1303 C1304 C1305 C1306 C1307
C1308 C1309 C1310 C1311 C1312 C1313 C1314
C1315 C1316 C1317 C1318 C1319 C1320 C1321
C1322 C1323 C1324 C1325 C1326 C1327 C1328
C1329 C1330 C1331 C1332 C1333 C1334 C1335
C1336 C1337 C1338 C1339 C1340 C1341 C1342
C1343 C1344 C1345 C1346 C1347 C1348 C1349
C1350 C1351 C1352 C1353 C1354 C1355 C1356
C1357 C1358 C1359 C1360 C1361 C1362 C1363
C1364 C1365 C1366 C1367 C1368 C1369 C1370
C1371 C1372 C1373 C1374 C1375 C1376 C1377
C1378 C1379 C1380 C1381 C1382 C1383 C1384
C1385 C1386 C1387 C1388 C1389 C1390 C1391
C1392 C1393 C1394 C1395 C1396 C1397 C1398
C1399 C1400 C1401 C1402 C1403 C1404 C1405
C1406 C1407 C1408 C1409 C1410 C1411 C1412
C1413 C1414 C1415 C1416 C1417 C1418 C1419
C1420 C1421 C1422 C1423 C1424 C1425 C1426
C1427 C1428 C1429 C1430 C1431 C1432 C1433
C1434 C1435 C1436 C1437 C1438 C1439 C1440
C1441 C1442 C1443 C1444 C1445 C1446 C1447
C1448 C1449 C1450 C1451 C1452 C1453 C1454
C1455 C1456 C1457 C1458 C1459 C1460 C1461
C1462 C1463 C1464 C1465 C1466 C1467 C1468
C1469 C1470 C1471 C1472 C1473 C1474 C1475
C1476 C1477 C1478 C1479 C1480 C1481 C1482
C1483 C1484 C1485 C1486 C1487 C1488 C1489
C1490 C1491 C1492 C1493 C1494 C1495 C1496
C1497 C1498 C1499 C1500 C1501 C1502 C1503
C1504 C1505 C1506 C1507 C1508 C1509 C1510
C1511 C1512 C1513 C1514 C1515 C1516 C1517
C1518 C1519 C1520 C1521 C1522 C1523 C1524
C1525 C1526 C1527 C1528 C1529 C1530 C1531
C1532 C1533 C1534 C1535 C1536 C1537 C1538
C1539 C1540 C1541 C1542 C1543 C1544 C1545
C1546 C1547 C1548 C1549 C1550 C1551 C1552
C1553 C1554 C1555 C1556 C1557 C1558 C1559
C1560 C1561 C1562 C1563 C1564 C1565 C1566
C1567 C1568 C1569 C1570 C1571 C1572 C1573
C1574 C1575 C1576 C1577 C1578 C1579 C1580
C1581 C1582 C1583 C1584 C1585 C1586 C1587
C1588 C1589 C1590 C1591 C1592 C1593 C1594
C1595 C1596 C1597 C1598 C1599 C1600 C1601
C1602 C1603 C1604 C1605 C1606 C1607 C1608
C1609 C1610 C1611 C1612 C1613 C1614 C1615
C1616 C1617 C1618 C1619 C1620 C1621 C1622
C1623 C1624 C1625 C1626 C1627 C1628 C1629
C1630 C1631 C1632 C1633 C1634 C1635 C1636
C1637 C1638 C1639 C1640 C1641 C1642 C1643
C1644 C1645 C1646 C1647 C1648 C1649 C1650
C1651 C1652 C1653 C1654 C1655 C1656 C1657
C1658 C1659 C1660 C1661 C1662 C1663 C1664
C1665 C1666 C1667 C1668 C1669 C1670 C1671
C1672 C1673 C1674 C1675 C1676 C1677 C1678
C1679 C1680 C1681 C1682 C1683 C1684 C1685
C1686 C1687 C1688 C1689 C1690 C1691 C1692
C1693 C1694 C1695 C1696 C1697 C1698 C1699
C1700 C1701 C1702 C1703 C1704 C1705 C1706
C1707 C1708 C1709 C1710 C1711 C1712 C1713
C1714 C1715 C1716 C1717 C1718 C1719 C1720
C1721 C1722 C1723 C1724 C1725 C1726 C1727
C1728 C1729 C1730 C1731 C1732 C1733 C1734
C1735 C1736 C1737 C1738 C1739 C1740 C1741
C1742 C1743 C1744 C1745 C1746 C1747 C1748
C1749 C1750 C1751 C1752 C1753 C1754 C1755
C1756 C1757 C1758 C1759 C1760 C1761 C1762
C1763 C1764 C1765 C1766 C1767 C1768 C1769
C1770 C1771 C1772 C1773 C1774 C1775 C1776
C1777 C1778 C1779 C1780 C1781 C1782 C1783
C1784 C1785 C1786 C1787 C1788 C1789 C1790
C1791 C1792 C1793 C1794 C1795 C1796 C1797
C1798 C1799 C1800 C1801 C1802 C1803 C1804
C1805 C1806 C1807 C1808 C1809 C1810 C1811
C1812 C1813 C1814 C1815 C1816 C1817 C1818
C1819 C1820 C1821 C1822 C1823 C1824 C1825
C1826 C1827 C1828 C1829 C1830 C1831 C1832
C1833 C1834 C1835 C1836 C1837 C1838 C1839
C1840 C1841 C1842 C1843 C1844 C1845 C1846
C1847 C1848 C1849 C1850 C1851 C1852 C1853
C1854 C1855 C1856 C1857 C1858 C1859 C1860
C1861 C1862 C1863 C1864 C1865 C1866 C1867
C1868 C1869 C1870 C1871 C1872 C1873 C1874
C1875 C1876 C1877 C1878 C1879 C1880 C1881
C1882 C1883 C1884 C1885 C1886 C1887 C1888
C1889 C1890 C1891 C1892 C1893 C1894 C1895
C1896 C1897 C1898 C1899 C1900 C1901 C1902
C1903 C1904 C1905 C1906 C1907 C1908 C1909
C1910 C1911 C1912 C1913 C1914 C1915 C1916
C1

LINN'S WEEKLY STAMP NEWS

GEORGE W. LINN.....Editor
CARL P. RUETH.....Associate Editor

Publication Office.....119-121 E. Court St., Sidney, Ohio
Mail Address.....P.O. Box 29, Sidney, Ohio Telephone.....7297-1
Subscription Per Year — \$1 U. S.; \$1.50 Canada; \$2.50 Foreign

Entered as second class matter April 22, 1942, at the post office at Sidney, Ohio under the act of March 3, 1879.

DISPLAY ADVERTISING RATES

LEWIS F. TURLEY
Advertising Manager

Rates are per column inch per insertion. Transient, 1 inch \$4.00; 2 inch \$7.00; 3 inch \$10.00; 4 inch \$12.00; 5 inch \$13.50. (Contract rates lower.)
Rates for larger space and complete rate card on request.

CLOSING DATE for new copy or change, Wednesday noon, for publication second Monday following.

Free Philatelic Publicity

Did you ever stop to think that if we could double the number of stamp collectors that your 5c 1847 would practically double in value? That also holds true all along the line. Did you ever do anything to help create more interest in stamps and stamp collecting? If you are a small business man or merchant in your town do you realize that every time you can get your name in your local newspaper in a news story that this story with your name in it is worth more to your prestige in a business way than several inches of advertising space that you would have to spend money for?



GEORGE W. LINN

And it is so easy to have these things happen. Big corporations spend hundreds of thousands of dollars every year just to keep their name before the public. Publicity, even though it is only the mention of your name in your local newspaper is the best tonic you can get for your business, it makes people notice your name, notice you, speak to you, greet you and remark on the news item when they meet you and that is what builds up and brings business to your store.

And all of this is so easy. Just to illustrate let us use a letter from Mr. Keith Ball of Miami, Florida which comes as a result of a bit of newspaper publicity over the Coronation of Queen Elizabeth.

Mr. Ball sends us a clipping which illustrates a New Zealand Coronation cover and has about six inches, double column of reading under the picture and telling the story. Just what the story is of no great consequence, but Mr. Ball explains in his letter just what this story meant to the Editor of a big Miami Daily Newspaper and points out the way for you to get publicity for yourself and publicity for stamp collecting. It helps the hobby by interesting other people and it helps you and your business for the reasons as pointed out before.

Here is Mr. Ball's letter, read it, study it and make up your mind to watch for similar opportunities to break into the news in your community. It will pay off big for you and for our hobby.

"The content of the enclosed clipping is of no interest to you—it contains, in fact, several errors of fact—but the existence of such a clipping, from The Miami Daily News should be of interest to all philatelists.

"Philately, which has more adherents than any other hobby, is missing a great opportunity by not seeking more publicity through daily newspapers everywhere. I don't mean just announcements of stamp club meetings, or articles and pictures of run of the mill covers and new issues, although more power to those who can interest editors in those things; but I mean in exploiting the real news worth of stamps and covers which have genuine news tie-in. The city editor of The Miami Daily News almost embraced me in glee when I suggested his using the New Zealand coronation cover received by my daughter. Although the paper was devoting nearly 30 columns of space to the Corona-

Our edition of August 31 will be sponsored by the United States Envelope Society. Dealers who stock postal stationery of the United States and the world will find it advantageous to advertise their material then. Deadline for such copy is August 19. It can be sent in anytime before that date and marked "Hold for Special August 31 edition".

tion on each of the two big days, he had only one other local angle item—a picture of a little girl who had received a toy coronation coach.

"I wonder how many papers in other cities devoted any space to coronation covers and stamps. And in those which didn't, I'll bet the city editors would have been very glad to have had some reader walk in with a first day cover of coronation stamps, especially if the recipient were a child, or if there was any "angle" at all to it.

"I should think that greater publicity at the local paper level would greatly increase philatelic interest, aid publications such as Linn's, create more collectors instead of savers and generally give stamp collecting a shot in the arm. How about that?

"I am told that this cover was photographed directly by the engravers, rather than a photographer taking a shot and then making a glossy print. Is that the way you do it? This came out fairly well, it seems to me, despite the great reduction.

"My daughter, incidentally, shows every possibility of becoming an ardent cover collector. My own interest is new British stamps plus U. S.—and I'm rather irked at the high values being put forth by the British colonies, which is plainly a grab for collector's dollars. Sincerely, Keith Ball

No, you do not have to have a photograph of the stamp or cover for your local newspaper, just lend them the cover, they make a cut direct from it and without injury or damage to your cover.

Note also that Mr. Ball is "irked" by the flood of high value British Colonial issues. You better all get "irked" and complain loudly at once or else you will be nicked for a huge sum by the dollar hungry British Empire.

United States Sets

All used.	Fine to Very Fine
Columbians 1c-10c	\$ 3.50
Omaha 1c to 10c	5.70
Pan American 1c to 10c	7.85
Louisiana 1c to 10c	9.00
Jamestown 1c to 5c	3.00
Parcel Post 1c to 25c	3.00
Panama Pac. 1c to 10c (5)	3.00
Panama Pac. perf 10 (4)	6.75
Pilgrim 1c to 5c	2.25
Wallon 1c to 5c	2.00
Lexington 1c to 5c	1.80
Norse Am. 2c to 5c	2.80
Hawaii 2c to 5c	1.70
Kans-Nebr. 1c to 10c (22)	17.50
Red 2c #627-717 (22)	2.45
BiCent 1/2c to 10c	.25
Parks 1c to 10c	.60
CI-C6 6c to 24c	10.00

If you like them nice, this is it!
Cash with order, please.

Wilfred P. Betts
ELSIE, MICHIGAN



Supplements

NOW AVAILABLE FOR:

U.S. Comems Germany
Austria Saar
France Switzerland
Netherlands U.P.U.

Bring your Album up to date.
We furnish our Hingeless pages to fit your size album: 3-ring, Hinge-Post or for International. Request circular and sample. Dealers supplied.

The Lindner Company

211 East Clinton Ave. Bergenfield, N. J.

DOUBLE IMPRESSIONS—by Well



"Good morning, young lady. I represent the Acme Folded Hinge Manufacturing Company . . ."

Commem For W. A. Stamp Centenary

Further details relative to Australian stamps due in the coming months have been supplied by Maj. R. C. Dettman, 72 Marlow St., Wembley, Western Australia. He advises that Australian Postmaster General Hubert Anthony has released further details of new postage stamps to be issued by his Department.

A 3 1/2d postage stamp to commemorate the 25th anniversary of the official establishment of Young Farmers' Clubs in Australia will be issued on Thursday September 3 and will remain on sale at Australian post offices for approximately one month.

The stamp will be printed in two colors, the frame in green and the central design in red brown. It will be the first Australian bi-colored commemorative stamp, and the design, typifying the Young Farmers' Club movement, will show a boy and a girl with a calf.

A special postage stamp will be issued during 1954 to commemorate the centenary of the issue of the first postage stamps in Western Australia.

The first Western Australian stamps were issued in 1854, and the commemorative design will incorporate a reproduction of one of the first designs, all of which depicted a Swan.

Mr. Anthony added that in November 1953, a 3d stamp will be issued to commemorate the centenary of the first Tasmanian stamps.

CORRECTION NOTICE

In the August 3 edition the ad of the House of Philately, P. O. Box 133, New York 24, N. Y. carried a listing of San Marino, Scott No. C80 imperforate at 36 cents. According to the Sanabria Airpost Catalog the value of the imperf is \$75, and so the printed price as given in the ad is obviously incorrect. The actual selling price is \$36.

1953 STAMP PROGRAM

Aug. 24—American Bar Association 3c, Boston, Mass. (105 million, 50 per pane).

Oct. 13—Future Farmers of America 3c, Kansas City, Mo.

Oct. 27 — Trucking Industry, Los Angeles, Calif. (Value to be announced).

Gen. Patton
Gadsden Purchase
"Teddy" Roosevelt
New York City.

ISSUED TO DATE

1017—National Guard 3c, Washington, D. C. February 23.

1018—Ohio Sesqui 3c, Chillicothe, Ohio, March 2.

1019—Washington Territorial 3c, Olympia, Wash., March 2.

1020—Louisiana Purchase, St. Louis, Mo., April 30.

C47—Aviation 6c, Dayton, Ohio, May 29.

1021—Commodore Perry 5c, Washington, D. C., July 14.

To obtain First Day Covers collectors can send a reasonable number, each with a name and address, and enclosing a sticker to the c/o Postmaster of the designated first day city with a request for first day service. Payment must accompany to cover the face value of the stamps to be affixed to the covers.

AUGUST SPECIAL

MATCHED SETS U. S. MINT PLATE BLOCKS

YOUR CHOICE OF SCOTT'S NOS. AT — 95c EACH 95c —

920 931 934 935 936 938 939 941 942 943

944 946 947 948 951 952 957 961 977 981

982 984 985 987 991 993 994 996 998 1000

1001 1002 1003

— \$1.00 EACH \$1.00 —

940 945 950 953 954 955 956

959 963 963 969 974 978 986

Happy Hollow Stamp Co.

218L East Third, Lexington, Ky.

McCoy Award For Winning Paper

The American Philatelic Congress has established a memorial award in honor of the late Walter R. McCoy, according to an announcement made by Joseph A. Herbert, Jr., president of that organization. The award will be presented annually to the most outstanding philatelic paper published in the Congress Book.

Mr. McCoy was a well known figure and authority in the philatelic world. His U. S. Plate Number collection won a gold award at CIPEX in 1947. At the time of his death he was serving as president of the American Philatelic Congress. For many years he was editor of the annual Congress Book. He served since 1945 as a member of the Congress Council.

Many of Mr. McCoy's friends and acquaintances have indicated a desire to assist in the establishment of this memorial award. Therefore, a special fund has been created to accept the gratuities so generously offered. Those desiring to make a contribution to the Walter R. McCoy Award Fund may do so by sending it to the American Philatelic Congress secretary-treasurer, James B. Shaner, Sr., 426 W. Main St., Kutztown, Pa.

The annual Congress Book, now in its 19th year, contains many original papers covering a wide range of philatelic themes written upon invitation by students and authorities of philatelic writing and research. The Walter R. McCoy Award, a memorial to a great philatelist, will be a fitting tribute to the author of each year's best paper. This award will be made at the annual Congress banquet.

The American Philatelic Congress will hold its 1953 meetings at the Robert Treat Hotel, Newark, N. J., October 30, 31 and November 1, in connection with the philatelic exhibition under the auspices of Philatelic Exhibitions, Inc., an organization formed by a group of collectors in the Newark area. Several of the papers published in the Congress Book will be discussed and presented by their authors at sessions of the Congress.

Stamp collectors everywhere are invited to attend the Congress meetings and to visit the Newark exhibition where many fine collections will be displayed.

P. O. Clerks Sponsor Cachet, Exhibition

Postal employees of the Springfield, Ohio post office are going to tell their fellow townsmen and ladies just what happens to a letter after it is deposited in the local post office.

This story will be told by means of a "live" exhibition in one of the buildings at the fairground during the annual Clarke Co. Fair, August 19 to 22. The public will be able to view the operations of facing and cancelling the mail and its subsequent casing or separation and dispatch to destination.

To help defray the cost of the exhibit, the Postal Employees Assn. is sponsoring a cacheted envelope at 10c each. Interested persons can send the payment (stamps not

BRITISH BUYS

(Sets with a future)

Newfoundland 212/26 (14)	\$16.00
250/251 (3)	.35
C6/8 (3)	8.00
New Zealand 298/68 (10)	1.85
274/78 (5)	.40
B23/37 (16)	1.05
No. Rhodesia 25/39 (15)	11.50
Nyasaland Pr. 68/81 (14)	7.50
Palestine 4/13 (10)	1.50
St. Helena 78/92 (14)	16.50
79/93 (15)	22.00
St. Kitts 37/51 (15)	10.85
79/96 (10)	2.75
St. Lucia 110/18 (9)	.75
110/33 (14)	12.00

All fine to very fine mint. Returnable. Minimum order \$1.00.

D. FRIEDMAN

Box 21, Planetarium Station, New York

SUMMER SPECIALS

GOOD COPIES: U. S. with attractive appearance, but minor or invisible stamps after purchasing them, will you realize the bargains you received. Similar copies are very often sold as very good to very fine stamps at much higher prices. Satisfaction guaranteed or your money refunded. All Unused.

No.	Price	No.	Price	No.	Price	No.	Price
614	.12	712	.09	82	2.39	339	.63
615	.17	715	.56	83	.69	340	.08
616	.13	718	.07	85	.79	341	.11
617	.23	722	.06	88	1.19	342	.14
627	.14	723	.06	91	1.19	343	.14
628	.12	724	.06	92	.20	349	.29
629	.12	725	.06	93	.12	351	.63
634A	3.89	C1	1.39	95	.18	361	.02
643	.10	C2	2.98	96	.10	362	.04
644	.23	C7	.12	98	.96	363	.05
649	.07	C8	.12	99	.83	364	.05
650	.34	C9	.26	104	.04	365	.10
651	.09	C10	.26	124	.09	366	.30
682	.05	C11	.12	125	.09	367	.50
686	.03	C12	.26	126	.23	368	.02
687	.07	C17	.11	130	.91	369	.05
690	.36	C19	.13	131	.10	370	.02
703	.05	C21	.18	132	.05	371	.04
709	.06	C22	.18	133	.59	372	.16
710	.13	E1	2.39	138	.02	376	.50

70% TO 95% DISCOUNT We now have a stock of Foreign stamps, cat. 35c up from which we are offering selections at large discounts of 70% to 95%, according to condition of the individual stamp. We can't fill want lists, but will submit selections on approval to advanced collectors, sending satisfactory references.

SIDNEY D. HARRIS

MAHOPAC 6, NEW YORK

accepted) and a legibly written name and address to E. W. Headley, cachet Chmn., P. O. Box 75, Springfield 99, Ohio.

#799 POUND PARCEL \$11.25

LUXEMBOURG

Clean mixture on paper sold unopened as received from our European Mission source. Seldom offered. (Postage extra.) Send for world's highest mixture—Kilo Catalog.

The Stamp Collectors Guild
Box 1 Staten Island 14, N. Y.

1953 — FOREIGN USED AIRMAIL — 1953

PRICE & CHECK LIST

Now available for 50c which also includes all supplements for 1953. The 50c is deductible from the first order for \$5.00.

GEORGE HERZOG INC.

66 NASSAU ST. N.Y.C. 38

ISRAEL COLLECTORS

Time to fill in those empty spaces while the prices are right. A few items from our stock as a starter. (Scott numbers).
1-3 Rouletted 2.25
1,3,5,6 Perf. 10 x 11 18.50
10-14 First Holiday 2.80
15 Flag35
22 Petah Tikvah 1.25
26-30 2nd Holiday80
33-34 2nd Independence 1.25

NYC Residents add 3% sales tax.

Tab singles and blocks, plate blocks, first day, Special Event and Post Office Opening covers fully represented. Your want lists are welcomed. DEPOSITS NOW TAKEN FOR 1954 SIMON'S CATALOG. RESERVE YOUR COPY NOW.

Morton L. Braverman
COLLECTORS SERVICE
340 West 94th St., New York 18, N. Y.

YOUR ORDER

FOR

LINN PHILATELIC PRODUCTS

with receive prompt attention if you send them to:

EVERETT H. CRANDALL

6117 Catherine St.
Philadelphia 43, Pa.

M & S SHEET SPECIALISTS

We offer the following sheets:

785-9 1-5c Army	12.00
790-4 1-5c Navy	13.00
795 3c Ordinance	2.50
796 3c Virginia Dare	8.50
798 3c Constitution	2.75
799 3c Hawaii	2.75
800 3c Alaska	2.75
801 3c Porto Rico	2.75
802 3c Virgin Islands	2.75

Send for our latest catalogue. It has a complete listing of sheets and U.S. stamps.

M & S Stamp Service

86 PARK ROW NEW YORK 38, N. Y.

In The Swim Again

Just back from a six week trip thru New England and New York, and from observations there, I predict that prices will go higher this fall.

U. S. MINT SHEETS

The following sheets are all FINE TO VERY FINE

795 3c Ordinance	2.50
796 3c Virginia Dare	7.50
798 3c Constitution	2.50
799 3c Hawaii	2.75
800 3c Alaska	3.95
801 3c Puerto Rico	2.75
802 3c Virgin Islands	2.75
835 3c Ratification	4.00
836 3c Swedes & Finns	6.25
837 3c Small Northwest	7.75
838 3c Iowa	5.00
852 3c Golden Gate	2.50
853 3c New York Fair	2.50
854 3c Inauguration	4.00
855 3c Baseball	4.50
856 3c Canal Zone	4.50
857 3c Printing	2.50
858 3c Four States	2.50

There is a packing and shipping charge of 25c on all orders. Send for our complete free list of sheets in stock.

MURRAY SIMNOCK & CO.

P. O. BOX 4084
NORMANDY BRANCH
MIAMI BEACH 41, FLA.

FREE LIST 1953

just issued.

LUXEMBOURG
SWEDEN
SWITZERLAND
TRIESTE

MAURY SWARTZ

9909 Lorain Ave.,
Silver Spring, Maryland

New 1953 Price List Of UNITED STATES CANADA NEWFOUNDLAND

Free on Request.

M. G. HANNA

603 State Theatre Bldg.
Pittsburgh 22, Pa.

CHEAP SUMMER OFFER FROM GERMANY

1000 Diff.\$2.25 3000 Diff. .. \$19.00
3000 Diff. 9.00 (Sc550) 95.00
EACH PACK \$1.00 ONLY
200 Mixture West Zone & Berlin
250 Mixture Soviet Zone
10 Diff. New FDC's
150 Diff. Covers with stamps after 1945
Booklet-Westberlin with labels "100
Years stamps". (Rare)\$ 1.00
Same Issue 195260
Third Reich 1930-91. GB1-3. 96 vals.
Mint or used 1.85

BRUNO HILTMANN

Berlin, Siemensstadt,
Mackeritzstr 10, Germany

Attend the PRECANCEL STAMP SOCIETY

82ND ANNUAL CONVENTION
AND
23RD EXHIBITION

AUG. 13-16, 1953

MOTEL NASHAKIA LABALLE, N.J.

BARGAIN DAY!

Here's a chance to dress up your collection. 36 catalogue value of beautiful stamps, each one cataloging at least 10c, for just a quarter to new applicants for our general foreign approval service.

EBOS STAMPS

P. O. Box 5661 Wash. 16, D. C.

REVENUES

and
MATCH and MEDICINE
PRICE-LIST FREE
WILL ALSO PURCHASE EITHER

F. DORFMAN

APL SPA 36 Amherst Dr.
Massapequa, L. I., N. Y.

MINT PLATE BLOCKS

No. 534 to 537

6 for \$1.00

GEORGE GRAHAM

Box 301 Colonia, N. J.

1c 1c CLIP THIS AD! 1c 1c

Choose from 36 leading wholesalers! Gigantic Penny Approval Selections! Everything goes regardless of Cat. Values to \$1.00. Only 1c each. Commem. Pictorials, Airs, High Values, New Issues, Scarce Old Ones. Postage paid both ways! It's wonderful. WAYNE R. HILF
P. O. Box 7008 Long Beach, Calif.
1c 1c HURRY! Send request today! 1c 1c

300 STAMPS 10¢

FOR ONLY
INCLUDES STAMPS CATALOGUING UP TO 25¢ EACH! ALSO APPROVALS.

MYSTIC STAMP COMPANY

Camden 16, New York

Latest British Issues

Aden new Elizabeth 5c to 20sh cpl. (12) 6.75
Aden new Elizabeth short set 5c to 1sh (8)60
Australia new 3d Elizabeth (1)06
Ceylon new 10R revenue stamp (1) 2.90
Grenada new 1c and 12c Elizabeth (2) .12
Yanga new 1d to 51 pils. cpl. (14) 8.50
Yanga same short set 1d to 1sh (10)60

KENNETH W. MCKAY

HOULTON, MAINE

YOUR BEST INVESTMENT

USED U. S. COMMEMS
Our latest 12 Pg. Price List offering QUALITY stamps priced per 10 and per 100. Send 25c (coin) deductible from first order.

CAMBRIA STAMPS

115-30 209th St., Cambria Heights 11, N.Y.

MINT AND USED - SETS AND SINGLES

LOWEST PRICES ON MARKET

Germany

PRICE LIST FREE

LOWELL STAMP EXCHANGE

P. O. BOX 633 - LOWELL, MASS.



DELIGHTFUL JAPANESE SCENERY appears on the two stamps issued July 25 by Japan to publicize the Shikotsu-Toya National Park. Lake Shikotsu is shown on the 5 yen ultramarine and Mount Yotei on the 10y green. The former was designed by Yutaka Yoshida, the latter by Masaru Kimura. Four million of each were printed in sheets of 20. The above was sent by the Japanese Postal Cultural Asso., c/o Postal Bureau, Ministry of Postal Services, Azabu Post Office, Tokyo, Japan. The Association has first day covers, informative booklets, album pages and other items for collectors of Japanese stamps and covers at a nominal cost. The first day covers are sold at face value of the stamps plus 6c (U. S.) for the envelope and addressing.



BY CARL P. RUETH

Whether you approve of, or don't even collect UN stamps, the fact remains that the UN Postal Administration is making quite an effort to keep the queer stuff out of circulation. By that I mean imperforates, poorly inked plates, way off center stamps and other varieties incidental to manufacture.

As this material shows up the postal and philatelic clerks are instructed to get it out of the way immediately. When a fair accumulation of it has developed two firemen of the UN fire department take the sheets and pieces of the misuses to the roof where they are burned to ashes. One fireman acts as a check on the other to make sure none of the material escapes.

The making of the UN issues available at a desk in the public part of the UN Building has done a lot to spur sales. It seems that a majority of the tourists take advantage of the opportunity of sending stamps, cards and covers to the folks back home.

Even if you aren't interested in the postal issues if you visit New York a tour of the UN Building should be a must on your things to do and see.

1. If you would want to make a title page for your collection and place thereon a stamp picturing the Great Seal of the United States, what stamp could you use?

2. Who are the men shown with Betsy Ross on the Betsy Ross commem?

LeRoy E. Bailey of Douglas, Arizona writes that the first day of use of the Gadsden Purchase slogan cancellation in his city was on July 21. The Douglas Daily Dispatch had a three-column page one picture of a cover bearing an impression of it.

Sadly, when comparing it to the many colorful and expressive foreign slogan cancels, this one like most other U. S. slogans is an uninspired and drab affair—just three lines in a box.

When it comes to philatelics our postal officials are as unimaginative and unconcerned as the huge building in which they have their offices.

One of the nation's mail mills which has gotten a lot of attention from postmark collectors is Produce, Fla. It has been used often in the making of such phrases as "Produce (Fla) Black (Ala) Mud (W. Va)" with postmarks.

This office will be assimilated into the Tampa post office as a branch soon as new quarters to house it are completed. George H. Conaway of Riverview, Fla. states that the Produce office was originally situated in the midst of a produce marketing area and that its chief business was the making out of money orders although general mail services were carried on. The name Produce will still appear as part of the postmark but subordinated to the Tampa.

I wonder how many New Yorkers know about the Miller Collection which the Public Library, 42nd St. and Fifth Ave. has on display and how many have visited it. According to Fred Rose of New York City it is quite a worthy piece of view-

ing and display including a copy of the 24c inverted airmail of the U. S.

One of the chief attractions of this collection is that a number of ideas can be gained for the mounting of one's own United States material. Those who will visit the big city on vacations or otherwise could spend some profitable time there.

THANKS FOR THE COVERS

DEPT.: Pierre A. Cubells, Soissons, France; George M. Hammond, Hornell, N. Y.; Gunnar Madson, Tollose, Denmark; Cornelius Haaland, Oslo, Norway; Fred Arndt, Roskilde, Denmark; Japan Postal Cultural Asso., Tokyo, Japan; H. M. Brehm, New London, Wis.

What is the difference between mint and unused as applied to stamps, asks a reader who confesses to being new to the hobby. That one had me for a while years ago when I broke the philatelic ice.

Mint and Unused stamps are both good for postage in that they have never been cancelled. However there is a difference in the quality of appearance.

A Mint stamp is one with full gum, full color and with a fresh look it had when purchased from the post office or philatelic agency.

An Unused might or might not have full gum, maybe only part gum or none at all, while the color and general appearance is not of the sparkling freshness of a mint stamp.

It probably isn't out of line to point out that unused valuable regulars and commemorates aren't as innocent as the naked eye would indicate now and again. Clever persons take used items, remove the cancellation, and sell them as "unused, without gum", or if they carry their "doctoring" a step further, they add gum.

The adding of gum is an easy thing to spot if you know what to look for.

Holding a "cleaned" stamp under a black light will show the cancellation even though you couldn't tell it with the unaided eye.

Uncle Sammy's secret service agents of the Treasury are delighted no end to meet up with a stamp cleaner. They send him to a federal pokey, such as Leavenworth, where the character is assigned to work in the prison laundry!

While we are on basic philately it

SPECIAL EDITIONS

Various dealers will want to time some of their advertising to appear in conjunction with the special editions of Lien's Weekly Stamp News sponsored by different specialist groups. These editions are always the last one of each month and contain a splendid amount of information about the particular country or specialty.

The next four editions of a special nature are as follows:—

August 31—U. S. Envelope Society.

September 28 — Postal Stationery Society.

October 26—National Highway Post Office Society.

November 30—Precancel Stamp Society.

Further inquiries can be directed to this paper by interested dealers.

Clubs or societies agreeable to sponsoring a special edition can get the details on request.

1953 PRICE LIST

now ready

U. S. - CANADA - N.F.L.D.

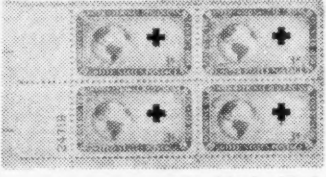
Write for your free copy.

JOHN B. KILTON

109 Empire St. Providence 3, R. I.

might be well to answer another tenderfoot as to "what is a plate block?"

Since 1940 nearly all stamps have been printed on the rotary press and those are the kind, with the exception of the \$1, \$2 and \$5 Presidential regulars, you will find at the post office or philatelic agency.



A rotary press plate block (Red Cross Commem.). The No. 24179 on the selvage is the number of the plate from which the stamp was printed. Usually there are from four to eight different plate numbers for each commemorative. The above is from a lower left (generally abbreviated "L.L.") pane of fifty stamps.

If you have seen a full sheet of stamps you will have noted that on one of the four corners on the unprinted border of paper, called the selvage there is a number. It is opposite the corner stamp.

Now if you will remove the four stamps, two one way and two the other, where this number is situated, as a unit, including that part of the selvage with the number, that is a plate block.



A flat press plate block of six (Boulder Dam). The number, 21457, is above the fifth stamp from the left side of the pane. As can be seen, the single stamp with the number above it in the selvage could be taken as a plate single; or the plate stamp and the one on either side could be collected as a strip of three; or, kept as a plate block of six as illustrated.

Stamps printed on the flat bed press have the plate number so located that you need three stamps in a row to get it in suitable, or collectable block form. That means you will have the three stamps with the selvage and the three directly behind them for a block of six.

Flat plate numbers are also collected in strips of three stamps, that is the three and the selvage having the number are collected as a unit.

Then too, a number of plate fans gather just the one stamp with the number opposite in the selvage. These are called plate singles.

1. The 16c airmail special deliveries of 1934 and 1936.

2. George Washington, Robert Morris and George Ross.

OPS Show, Meeting At Guthrie, Okla.

The Logan County Stamp Club of Guthrie, Okla. will be the host to the 21st annual convention and exhibition of the Oklahoma Philatelic Society October 2 to 4 at the Masonic Temple in Guthrie.

Entries in the show are taken from all collectors whether affiliated with the OPS or not. A prospectus and entry form can be gotten from Dr. James H. Petty, chairman of the exhibition committee, 521 E. Logan Guthrie, Oklahoma.

A number of interesting activities are planned for both the philatelic and non-philatelic members of the family.

telic and non-philatelic members of the family.

12 COMPLETE-QUEEN ELIZABETH CORONATION SETS 25¢



You get 12 superb complete sets in honor of the Coronation of the new Queen Elizabeth II. Each set from a specially selected, far-away, hard-to-get British Colony. Every one in brilliant mint condition. A spectacular addition to your album. By special arrangement with a famous London export house, you get the entire lot at the bargain price of 25¢ to introduce our Bargain Approvals. Limit one to a customer. Money back guarantee. SEND 25¢ TODAY ASK FOR LOT 154 ZENITH COMPANY 81 WILLOUGHBY ST., BROOKLYN 1, N. Y.

High Prices Paid

Urgently Needed

UNITED STATES and FOREIGN

Collections—
Accumulations

Large Buyers For Over 20 Years.

Practically all offers accepted!

Ship for

PROMPT ACTION.

IMMEDIATE PAYMENT

WALTER GISIGER CO.

110 WEST 42nd STREET
NEW YORK 36, N. Y.

Have You Decided To Specialize?

TRIESTE, with its low new issue prices and small quantities issued will be tomorrow's rarities.

Why not let us be your philatelic agent and subscribe to Trieste new issues at a very small mark up over face value? Price List — Information Literature.

joseph bush

143 n. garrett, chula vista, calif.

CORONATION ISSUE 1953

Quick Delivery.

Crown Cols. 62 values.... 1.05
Dominions etc. 44 values 5.25
Complete 106 Values..... 7.10
Price to change without notice.

TRIBUNE STAMP CO.

Larchmont, N. Y.

WANTED TO BUY

ANYTHING IN U.S. OR FOREIGN

Send what you have with your lowest price or for our offer. Lots held intact and insured while in our possession.

M. E. GREEBEL, INC.

5 Beekman St., N. Y. 38

UNITED STATES

IMPERFS

O. G. SUPERB

Scott #	Green	single pair block
314	1c	\$ 1.20 \$ 2.40 \$ 4.75
315	5c	55.00 110.00 250.00
320	2c	2.00 4.00 8.00
320A	2c	6.00 12.00 24.00
320B	2c	1.50 3.00 6.00
343	1c	.15 .30 .15
344	2c	.50 1.00 2.10
345	3c	1.75 3.50 7.00
346	4c	2.25 4.50 9.00
347	5c	4.00 8.00 17.00
368	2c	3.00 6.00 12.00
371	2c	4.00 8.00 15.75
373	2c	3.50 7.00 14.00
383	1c	.10 .20 .35
384	2c	1.50 3.00 6.75
408	1c	.06 .12 .20
409	2c	.07 .14 .30
481	1c	.12 .25 .50
488	2c	.22 .45 .90
531	1c	.20 1.80 3.50
532	2c	1.25 2.50 5.00
535	3c	1.40 2.80 5.50
575	1c	.80 1.60 3.10
576	1 1/2c	.15 .30 .60
577	2c	.20 .40 .80
611	2c	1.10 2.20 4.35
631	1 1/2c	.35 .70 1.35
Farleys	1c to 10c	1.75 3.50 7.00
754	3c	.12 .25 .50
755	3c	.12 .25 .50
771	16c	.90 1.80 3.50

What else do you need in U. S.?

MICHAEL M. KAREN

1225 MORRIS AVE.

NEW YORK 56, N. Y.

Dealer's - Collector's & Trader's Mart

All classified advertising is set with first line in capitals, no other display

150 words \$7.50 - 500 Words \$20. - 1000 words \$35

To be used as desired within six months time. Minimum of ten words in any advertisement. Single insertions 6c per word. Minimum 10 words—60c. Three consecutive insertions of same copy, 15c per word. Ten consecutive insertions same copy 40c per word.

ALL CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING CASH WITH COPY FROM EVERYONE.

ALL NEW ADVERTISERS MUST ESTABLISH CREDIT RATING PRIOR TO APPEARANCE OF AD.

ATTENTION - ADVERTISERS

When submitting an ad for insertion in the classified columns, many advertisers fail to indicate which heading they prefer.

The following list is the complete coverage of headings available under which ads may be inserted. Please indicate your choice even though one or more of these headings do not appear in the current issue. There are 43 headings to choose from.

Accessories; Airmails; Airpost Stationery; Agents Wanted; Albums; Approvals; Auctions; Booklet Pages; British Empire; Coins & Currency; Collections; Covers; Exchange; First Day Covers; For Sale U. S.; For Sale Foreign; General; Latin America; Lots; Miscellaneous; Mixtures; New Issues; Packets; Plate Blocks; Plate No. Singles; Postal Stationery; Posters; Postmarks; Meters; Precancels; U. S. Precancels; Publications; Printing; Revenues; U. S. Revenues; Seals; Societies; Souvenir Sheets; Special Offers, Stamp Stores; Topicals; Wanted; Wholesale.

ACCESSORIES

WRITE FOR SAMPLES PROTECTIVE mounts. Protects stamps, dresses up collection. Also White Ace products. A. L. McClellan, 2711 Oak St., Shreveport, Louisiana. (12)

3-DIMENSIONAL MOUNTING FOR YOUR Stamps, blocks, plate # blocks, covers, and souvenir sheets. As new as tomorrow! Reveals the hidden beauty of stamps as nothing else can. Write today for free information. W. Carson Mitchell, (P.A. N.P.S.), Treadwell, Y. or Juanita Halamuda, (A.P.S. N.P.S.) 4313 Green St., San Diego 7, Calif. (10)

FREE! 10,000 FOLD-O-HINGES WITH purchase of Scott National Album—\$10.00 postpaid. Buywise, Box 1158, Hollis 23, N. Y. (92)

HUNDREDS OF COLLECTORS AND DEALERS depend on us for their made-to-order Rubber Stamps. Request our latest price list. Quality stamps at low prices. Riverview Specialty Company, Rensselaer, New York. (101)

AIRMAIL

AIR MAIL STAMP COLLECTORS. JOIN "AERO PHILATELISTS" and be well informed—know the story behind your stamps. Send for free copy of the "AERO PHILATELIST NEWS" to, Herman Seitzer, 7-40 151 St. Whitestone 57, N.Y. (92)

AIRPOST STATIONERY

10 DIFF. MINT AIRLETTERS \$1.00. LISTS free Catalogue, \$1.25. New Issue Service. Lata, 854 Intervale, New York 59. (12)

APPROVALS

STAMPS OF UNITED STATES AND BRITISH Colonies on approval Mint or Used. Ernest Jennings, Westport, Conn. (12)

IS YOUR STAMP BUDGET LIMITED TO \$1 or \$2 monthly? If so—this is for you. Drop us a card for particulars. Kellen Stamp Co., L-112 Bailey Ave., Pittsburgh 11, Pa. (12)

INTERNATIONAL ALBUM COLLECTORS with either part #1 or Part #2. My approvals are made to fit these albums. Satisfaction guaranteed. Member S.P.A. Charles Bigler, 1833 W 72nd Ave., Philadelphia 26, Penna. (12)

300 DIFFERENT INCLUDING LARGE Pictorial commemoratives 10c, with discount approvals. Premiums. Free postage. Gunning Stamp Service, 9124 68th Road, Woodhaven 9, N.Y. (12)

95,000 VARIETIES MOUNTED BY COUNTRIES including 45,000 different at 1c to 3c each, regardless catalogue! Senders, Box 275, Seattle 11, Washington. (12)

FRENCH COLONIES! 12,500 VARIETIES Mounted alphabetically, chronologically. Attractively priced. Snelders, Box 275, Seattle 11, Washington. (12)

LIQUIDATION BARGAINS! UNSORTED. Unmounted accumulations of better grade odds and ends at 2c each. Catalogue values ignored! Try them. You will want more! Snelders, Box 275, Seattle 11, Washington. (12)

GIANT APPROVALS. BOOK 500 PENNY stamps, 40¢ each, 5 sets. Wahl's Stamp Exchange, 7090 L Farragut, Chicago 31, Ill. (12)

FREE "ROOSEVELT MINIATURE SHEET" "Thanks to America from Earthquake victims of Ecuador" scarce limited issue. Bargain approvals accompany. Gulfstream, Hillsdale 3, New Jersey. (12)

BETTER FOREIGN - MINT OR USED. Singles or sets. 8c each up No premium bait—just sound values. State countries. References. Queen City Stamp Co., Rossmore, Ohio. (12)

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED. Like to receive fine approvals? Try our service. Quality material - fine singles - sets - old and new issues - attractively priced - valuable coupons. Premium with first selection. Mention Linn's receive additional premium. Green & Company, Norwood 12, Ohio. (12)

BOLIVIA NATIONAL HERO MINT SET 365-70. Usually sells for 60¢ only 25¢ with approvals of sets priced right for the general collector. Matthew Bennett, 2995 Cortland, Detroit 6, Michigan. (12)

GERMANY - COLONIES - OFFICES - States. - Affiliates Singles. Sets. - Mostly 1/2 - 1/5 catalogue. Request better grade approvals. 13 page price list 3c. Myers, 25114 (L) Van Sandt Ave. Little Neck, N. Y. (12)

PENNY APPROVALS STAMPS OF THE world mounted by countries. Herron-Bill, 532 M&M Bldg., Memphis, Tenn. (12)

BIGGER VARIETY, BETTER CONDITION, lowest price average! Three good reasons why O'Connell Approval Service fills spaces at real savings. Low and medium priced stamps only, grouped to countries. See us believing, so let's get together. O'Connell, 23 Station, St. Petersburg 3, Fla. (12)

ECONOMICAL 1-2c APPROVALS - 20,000 Varieties! Gaines, 716-C South Sixteenth, Mattoon, Illinois. (12)

GOOD APPROVALS FOR GENERAL COLLECTORS. Reasonable prices. Sata Stamps, 129 Thompson St., Poughkeepsie, N.Y. (12)

PACKETS ARE CHEAPEST WAY! Bulk collection. Large list free. Special introductory offer 100 Russia (Reg. 50c) 20c. No Approvals. Econopackets. Box 168, Riverside 15, Calif. (12)

PREMIUM GIVEN TO APPLICANTS REQUESTING our approvals. Consisting mostly airmails, commemoratives, pictorials. J. C. Malsby, 1823-B Bankhead Ave., N.W., Atlanta, Georgia. (94)

APPROVALS

CATALOGUE DISREGARDED IN MY BIG Fellow's. Giant worldwide selections, neatly mounted. Makes "easy to fill" sets and empty spaces. Many thousands different in this series and none over 2c. I pay postage so you can't lose. Ask for Big Fellow today. Loren Fraser, 1093 "D" St. Springfield, Oregon. (12)

15 BR. COLONIALS FREE WITH APPROVALS. Foreign half catalog. No. U.S. Thibault Stamps, 3833 Quincy St. Minneapolis 21, Minn. (99)

350 MIXED STAMPS, APPROVALS, 10c. Edwards, Box 9228, Philadelphia 35, Penna. (12)

70% OFF CAT. - MINT COMPL. SETS. Mayer, Box 386-L, Jackson Heights, N.Y. (94)

HAVE A LOOK AT MY GENERAL FOREIGN Stamps at only 1/2c, 1c and 2c each. Many hi-cat. Return postage paid. Postcard me now. Oberlin, Box 1736 Santa Ana 4, Calif. (12)

FREE GIFT WITH APPROVALS. D. M. Prior, 154 East Cottage Street, Dorchester 25, Mass. (95)

30 DIFFERENT SWISS 3c WITH APPROVALS. Exchange plan available. A. S. Peniston, Norborne, Mo. (12)

FREE, 50c FROM FIRST SELECTION OF Approvals. R. Duane Miller, 48ARS, Maxwell AFB, Alabama. (98)

50 BRITISH COLONIES. 25c WITH APPROVALS sent against satisfactory references. Arthur E. Hough, 3751 Aniston Court, Cincinnati 27, Ohio. (101)

INTERNATIONAL ALBUM PART I APPROVALS by country. Stamps priced individually. Only stamps that fit album spaces included. Arthur King Clark, 335 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh 22, Penna. (98)

FREE - BEAUTIFUL 3 X 10 PHOTOGRAPH of Marines raising American Flag on Iwo Jima, for home, school or office with \$3.00 purchase from foreign approval selection. Write today. W. L. Foust, 21871 Crystal Ave., Cleveland 23, Ohio. (12)

TEXAS, VETERAN RAILROAD BROTHERHOOD member, will send you beginners nice clean general approvals if you promise to make returns within (1) week. Marsh, 915 Anderson Lane, Austin, Texas. (92)

PERSONALIZED APPROVAL SERVICE. Free premium. U. S., British Colonies. Foreign. E. W. Mange, Box 6, Hanover, Pa. (92)

12 DIFFERENT TRIANGLES 5c WITH Penny-provals. Penny-proval Company, 22-9 New York Building, Saint Paul 1, Minnesota. (99)

FREE - WORTH STAMPS NEWSLETTER. Worth Stamps, Box 96, Astoria 2, N. Y. (93)

U. S. AND FOREIGN APPROVALS FOR the beginner and general collector, postage paid both ways. M. Hoffman, 1909 Van Buren Rd., Dundalk 22, Maryland. (93)

HURRY! HURRY! CHANCE OF A LIFETIME. Abyssinia, Scott's catalog number C11-17, 1931 Empire Air Mail Reprints complete. Price \$1.00. Not 1 collector in a 1000 will ever get this set. Straight from the original plates, these are yours at a fraction—ask us really have something rare. B&H Stamp Co., 235 Linden Hts. Pine Bluff, Ark. (92)

PENNY APPROVALS. BEAUTIFUL Foreign Stamps! Russell's Stamp Exchange, Gilmer 1, Texas. (93)

MESSY APPROVALS! DO YOU LIKE them? Neither do we. Try our neat, orderly big books by countries. Prices right. References please. Benedict Associates, Box 472, Fresno, Calif. (12)

FRANCE, RUINED CITIES COMPLETE. Included in our packet of 50 different France to those sending 10c and requesting our better-grade foreign approvals. Midwest Stamp Co., Box 346, Medina, Ohio. (93)

ATTRACTIVE, QUALITY APPROVALS FOR beginner collectors. You will like our service, low prices, generous discounts. Write: Agnes Novak, Casco, Wisconsin. (100)

NEED HIGHER WAGES/NOT WHEN BUYING our stamps. Try our books of 1,000 at 1c and 2c each, or economy U. S. Approvals. Clark Stamp Co., Dept. AE-4, Muskegon Heights, Michigan. (12)

SOMETHING NEW HAS BEEN ADDED TO Ramsay's unique approvals, ask us please what it is adding your references and preferences for approvals. Ramsay, Brainard 7, N. Y. (12)

FREE - WORLD'S 10 UGLIEST WEIRD Colors, valuable cut design. Send 3c postage today! Norrisco, Milwaukee 7c, Wis. (12)

OFFER FINE APPROVALS UNITED States or Foreign. Raymond McGlenesey, Box 141, Merchantville, New Jersey. (12)

PLEASURE IS YOURS FOR PENNIES when you select from our big books of 1,000 stamps. Clean and neatly arranged stamps for your selection. Scott's catalog number and price under each stamp, but large discounts allowed. Write today and watch your collection grow. Wolverson Stamp Service, Dept. M-4, Fruitport, Michigan. (12)

PORTRAITS OF CHILDREN ON STAMPS set of four commemoratives with Tabs, issued to aid the Combat of Tuberculosis. Only 10c to introduce fine Foreign Sets on approval. Ally de Katt, 431 Quentin Road, Brooklyn 23, New York. (12)

90 DIFFERENT AUSTRIA 10c, APPROVALS. Edel, 213 St. Ann's New York 54, N. Y. (12)

FOR PERSONALIZED FOREIGN APPROVALS write today to: K.N. Frenki, 4804 48 Street, Woodside, N. Y. (94)

APPROVALS

50 DIFFERENT ANDORRA \$1.00, APPROVALS. Edel, 213 St. Ann's New York 54, N. Y. (12)

EXOTIC FLOWER ISSUE FROM HOLLAND. This beautiful complete mint set (5) for only 25c with Approvals. Happy Hollow Stamp Co., 218-L East Third, Lexington, Kentucky. (96)

FRENCH EQUATORIAL AFRICA C31-33, giant pictorial airmails catalogued. \$2.75—yours for just 30c! Approvals: French Colonies. Curtis Billingslea, Gilmer 1, Texas. (97)

FREE BRAZIL TRUMAN STAMP WITH APPROVALS. Sidney Wheeler, Stewartville, Minn. (94)

SOMETHING NEW - SOMETHING DIFFERENT - Something terrific! Try our books of 1,000 different and see for yourself. Mostly 1c and 2c, but Scott's catalog number and price under each stamp—Big discounts. Modern Stamp Co., Dept. T-4, Ferrysburg, Michigan. (12)

START YOUR OWN STAMP BUSINESS. Send for free circular. Donald Shepard, Box 117, Chicago 14, Ill. (91)

100 ASSORTED U. S. 2c 1890-98 ISSUE. 20c Types, shades, cancells! Request Offer L-2. Approvals. Gernert, 2333 Central, Augusta, Georgia. (94)

AUCTIONS

AWAIT HIGHEST BID FOR THE FOLLOWING collections of all-different stamps, made up in stock-books by Scott's: 8780 Europe, 14,000 Europe, 14,000 Europe, 6,800 World, 9,650 World, 12,300 World, 19,670 World, 21,500 World. Premium \$5.00 cataloging for each bidder. Send No Money please. Viktor Schimak Vienna III, Oetzgasse 10, Austria. (12)

BRITISH EMPIRE

OLD SCARCE CANADA NEWFOUNDLAND, Second, on approval. Slightly imperfect, lowest prices. Wantlists filled. Rud Harnfeld, Clintonhill St., Newark 8, N. J. (12)

BRITISH WEST INDIES USED 1/2 CATALOG and less. Other countries on request. Duncan Harlow, Vaughan, Mississippi. (12)

CANADA PLATE BLOCKS ON APPROVAL. References. Harold Baxter, 87 James Street, Babylon 2, New York. (12)

CANADA FINE USED: \$272 15c; \$273 20c; \$294 20c; \$302 25c, block \$1.25. C2 on flown 1st flight cacheted cover \$2.00. John L. Arnott, 710 14 St. N. W., D. C. 15, ASDA. (12)

40 DIFFERENT CATALOG. \$5.50 - SPECIAL. \$1.25. Hoffman, 6840-42 Parrish, Cincinnati 24, Ohio. (92)

WHAT SUMMER SLUMP?

"Haven't your subscribers heard about the summer slump that the dealers all cry about along about this time? They certainly must not have as the response to my ad is getting better as we go along."

"You will find my check enclosed for 500 more words. If it pulls half as good I'll still be ahead."

(Original on file.)

USED BRITISH COLONIES ON APPROVAL. References please. Joseph Ottlinger, 859 Oakdale Ave., Chicago 14, Ill. (93)

USED ASCENSION! REMOTE ISLANDS! Write: Philatelists Unlimited, 166-47, 20th Avenue, Whitestone 57, New York. (96)

ATTENTION! ANNOUNCING ARRIVAL OF the Coronation stamp of Queen Elizabeth II, \$7.50 for complete unit, \$10.00 in Special Coronation Album. Arthur E. Hough, 3751 Aniston Court, Cincinnati 27, Ohio. (97)

QUEEN ELIZABETH: COMPLETE COLLECTION 34 different beautiful mint stamps portraying her as Princess—\$9.75. Anthony Sturm, 123 9th St., NW, Washington 12, D. C. (93)

200 BRITISH COLONIALS ONE DOLLAR. Charles Birt, 2100 Fletcher St., Chicago 18, Ill. (93)

BRITISH GUIANA, WEST INDIES, PRETTY British Colonials from Asia, Africa and Oceania, Consisting Pictorials, Commemoratives, King-Queen heads, Current and obsolete. 150 different \$1.00; 300 different \$3.00; 500 diff. \$5.00; 1000 diff. \$15.00. Or 250 Mixed \$1.00; 1000 Mixed \$3.00; 2000 mixed \$5.00; 5000 \$12.00. Alexander Stamp Service, B266, Georgetown 3, British Guiana. (12)

COINS AND CURRENCY

COIN COLLECTORS MAGAZINE SAMPLE copy 30c; \$3.00 year. Largest independent coin magazine over 1000 pages a year. Scrapbook 7320 Milwaukee, Chicago 31, Ill. (12)

\$35.00 PAID FOR \$20.00. GOLD COINS! Willard, 5719 Wilmore, Chicago 40, (94)

UNCIRCULATED NICKELS - 1943-D, 1948-S, 1949-S, 1952-S, 12c each; 1946-S, 1950-P 20c each, 1950-D, 1951-S 25c each. Cents—238-S 15c; 1943-PDS 25c set. Price list free. Scott, 2716 Fairfield Drive, N.E., Roanoke 12, Virginia. (92)

LIBERTY NICKELS 10 DIFFERENT DATES \$1.00 average. 1925-P Peace Dollar Unc. \$5.00; Jefferson Nickels 30 different fine Unc. \$2.50; James Smith, 252 Squire Road, Revere, Mass. (12)

INDIAN HEAD CENTS: TEN DIFFERENT dates, beautiful Unc. for \$9.00 postpaid. I want to buy those duplicate coins, etc. you are not using. Write: URB, Far Hills Box 564, Dayton, Ohio. (94)

INDIAN HEAD CENTS \$4.00 PER 100. 1908-S \$2.50; 1910-S, 135, 155, 215, 235, 245, 265, 310-D, 32, 32D, 33, 33D Lincoln \$1.25 per lot. Premium Book On Coins, 40c. Koch, 3049 Daytona Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio. (12)

COVERS

ART CRAFT COVERS MAILED AS ISSUED 15c each; next ten \$1.30. Service Stamp Co., 309 Williamsburg Dr., Silver Spring, Md. (12)

FIRST DAY OR FIRST FLIGHT ON APPROVAL. Howard Weaver, Waynesboro, Va. (95)

COVERS PHILATELIC MAGAZINE (monthly) specialized; covers, postal history, richly illustrated. \$1.50 per year. Sample copy free. Covers, Box 493, Albany, Oregon. (12)

COVERS

"CANARY ISLANDS" STAMPED REGISTERED cover. "Island Costumes" cachet, gay and colorful. Tenerife Holy Cross cancellation misspelled! 25c. Overseas Mailers, Hicksville 121, N. Y. (92)

PRINTED CACHET. ORION CENTENNIAL September 24-26. 10c (coin). Slogan postmark used. Cachet, Box 461, Orion, Illinois. (92)

ARTMASTER COVERS MAILED AS ISSUED 12c each; next ten \$1.00. Walker, 4702 West Arthington St., Chicago 44, Ill. (96)

U. S. OR FOREIGN COVERS. ALL 5c COVERS 24 for \$1.00. 10c Covers twelve for \$1.00. 15c covers eight for \$1.00. Start your collection now. A. A. Hyde, 3601 Henry, Greenville, Texas. (92)

ROOSEVELT: FDC'S CACHETED. FOR best prices send wants. Dueterbeck, Box 111, Elk Mound, Wisconsin. (94)

EXCHANGE

SEND 300 TO 1,000,000 UNITED STATES or Foreign stamps or coins. Receive 4c C. V. up in foreign stamps in exchange. Better received, better allowance. Collections also wanted. Established 15 years. Elmer Grafe, 4550 North Kasson, Chicago 30, Illinois. (90)

STAMP EXCHANGE SERVICE. CHAS. H. Sharp, APS, ASDA, NPS, 10 Westdale Ave., Daly City 25, California. (12)

SEND 300 OR MORE UNITED STATES or Foreign stamps, or paper only. Large lots especially wanted, with pictorials, un-picked precancels, and commemoratives. Receive 4c up foreigners. Better received, better sent. Grafe, 4550 N. Kasson Chicago 30, Ill. (96)

I NEED FINLAND PLATE NUMBER Blocks of 6. I have some United States, Foreign and Covers to exchange for them—or will buy. Before sending write what you have stating selling price. Carl P. Rueth, 617 Fair Ave., Sidney, Ohio. (APS, SPA). (12)

TRADE STAMPS FOR COINS. (AIRS, B.C., General). Frankel, 5355 Sunlight, Los Angeles, Calif. (92)

\$5,000.00 STAMPS. FOR ANYTHING. acreage, musical instruments, guns, cameras or? . . . Cameron, Claremont, Calif. (93)

AUSTRALIAN STAMPS, COMMEMORATIVE & Present issues exchange for U.S.A. commems., Presidentials, 13c to \$5.00 & B.W.I. Geo. VI issues. Basis equal Scotts cat. prices. Major R. C. Dettman, 72 Marlow St., Wembley, West Aust. (12)

SEND ANY 5 DUCK STAMPS, RECEIVE Mint Sets. Flags, Roosevelt, or Franklin D. Roosevelt sets used, 5 different Mint Commemoratives 1 duck. Sam Mooneyhan, 202 Tarleton St., Corpus Christi, Texas. (94)

1 1/2c SCOTTS VALUE GIVEN FOR EACH U. S. Large Commemorative sent. Perrin, Box 278, Route #3, Rockford, Illinois. (12)

STAMP EXCHANGE FOR GENERAL COLLECTOR. No fees. George Weeks, 1842 Cleveland Massillon Road, Copley, Ohio. (12)

ESTABLISHED EXCHANGE SERVICE FOR general collectors. Booklet, detail free. Texoma Stamp Exchangers, Box 530, Sherman, Texas. (12)

CYPRUS, EGYPT, GREECE, IRAQ, ISRAEL, Palestine, given for triangles, Large, attractive stamps U.S.A. mint preferred. Mich Hatjdimitriou, Famagusta, Cyprus. (12)

FIRST DAY COVERS

NEXT 6 3c COMMEM'S FD CACHETED 50c. Herget, 92 Arden, Buffalo 15, N. Y. (12)

DO YOU SERVICE YOUR OWN FIRST Day Covers? Join our Artcraft Envelope Club. Send for application blank. Receive Artcraft envelopes at Club price. Lincoln Exchange Club, Box 211-L, Chatham, New Jersey. (12)

U. S. FIRST DAY COVER 14 CACHETED for \$1.00, asking approvals. Wm. Barr, 487 Oneida St., Pittsburgh 11, Pa. (98)

\$1.00 SPECIALS: 14 DIFF. CACHETED F.D.C.; 6 Diff. F.D.C. Blocks Cacheted; 3 F.D.C. Plate Blocks Cacheted; 10 Diff. Artcraft; 12 First Flights; 20 Patriotic Covers; 20 Diff. U. S. Cacheted covers; 12 Old U. S. Covers. Schillay, Box 164 L, Knickerbocker Station, N.Y.C. 2. (93)

FOREIGN AND U. S. COVERS ALL KINDS, priced to sell! Request trial selection Stanwill Company, Postoria 58, Ohio. (94)

"HOW YOU CAN GET BEAUTIFUL 7c color F.D.C. showpieces inexpensively. Write: Overseas Mailers, Hicksville 121, New York. (96)

3c UNITED NATIONS EMBOSSED ENVELOPES, bearing "Artcraft" design. Small and large 80c. L. Dolin, 31 Park Row, NYC 38. (12)

FINLAND - HAMINA - CACHETED - SPECIAL PM 30c. Walter Brooke, Boyertown, Pa. (12)

QUEEN ELIZABETH CORONATION FIRST Days complete crowns, dominions, \$28.75. 120c Gold Covers, Box 75, Bushwick Station, Brooklyn 38. (12)

FOR SALE U. S.

300 VARIETIES U. S. POSTAL ISSUES including dollar values, commems. Famous Americans, presidents, air special Delivery \$10.00 catalog \$2.00. A. Wright RFD #1, Buzzards Bay, Mass. (12)

FREE 96 PAGE ILLUSTRATED U. S. RETAIL Price List lists singles, block plates, etc. A Reference Work James Inc., 300-G West Main St., Louisville 2, Kentucky. (12)

FAMOUS AMERICANS MINT SINGLES, complete set, \$5.95. A. P. Gasser, Box 78318 W. Adams Station, Los Angeles 16, California. (12)

COMMEMORATIVES - 127 DIFFERENT for \$1. Many older stamps included. Your best dollar buy. G. H. Pritchard, 1206 Good Hope St., Cape Girardeau, Missouri. (34)

1000 MIXED U. S., OVER 200 VARIETIES, \$1.00. Earl L. Rodgers, Buena Park, Waterford, Wis. (94)

AMERICA SPONSORED A COLONY IN Africa. Request a Selection from this neglected country on Approval. Sheridan, Route One, Fulton, New York. (95)

IKE EISENHOWER SOUVENIR COVER Free to buyers of our low-priced U. S. approvals. Conquistador Stamp Co., 2627B Troy Rd., Schenectady 9, N. Y. (92)

FLAG STAMPS (OVERRUN COUNTRIES) - Blocks of four 28c; 10 blocks \$2.50. J. Karl Howard, 1119 Congress Bldg., Miami 32, Fla. (12)

U. S. CATALOG, PROFUSELY ILLUSTRATED, 10c with bargain lists and approvals. H. E. Harris, 13C Transit Bldg., Boston 17, Mass. (12)

200 MIXED U. S. \$1.00. 100 LONG Commemoratives \$1.00. John Winn, Bolivar, 4, Missouri. (94)

FOR SALE U.S.

SALE PRICES END SEPTEMBER 7th. Flags, 909/921, 65c. Name countries for lists and discount. Also approvals except U.S.A. Cottage Stamp Co., Box 431, Grand Haven, Mich. (12)

MINT COMM. 100 DIFFERENT \$4.00 (PACE \$3.00) Agency stock. Flag set plus China (14) \$1.00. James Smith, 252 Squire Road, Revere, Mass. (12)

3000 - COMMEMORATIVES, OLD ISSUES. Airs, Precancels, Presidentials, etc. \$1.25. Robert Oldham, 1118 Ellsworth, Columbus, Ohio. (12)

30 MINT U. S. 3c COMMEMS \$1. INCLUDING Alexandria postpaid; Philatelic Agency Service 3% commission plus postage. Long's, P.O. Box 1355, Washington 13, D. C. (12)

PLATE NUMBER COLLECTORS KEEP INFORMED. Join the Bureau Issues Association for complete information on old and new issues. Plate number check lists. Buy, Sell, Exchange. Finely printed monthly magazine free to members. Low dues. Sample copy and prospectus, 10c. Bureau Issues Association, West Somerville, Massachusetts. (12)

150 DIFFERENT OLD COMMEMORATIVES \$1.00. Robert Oldham, 1118 Ellsworth, Columbus, Ohio. (12)

MIXTURES

"VALUE PACKED" MIXTURES. 125 DIFF. U. S. Commemoratives, \$1.00; 300 Mixed U. S. Commemoratives, \$1.00; 300 Mixed U. S. Airmails, \$1.00; 400 Mixed U. S. H-Values, \$1.00; 500 Mixed Canada, \$1.00. All for \$5.00. Leslie J. Wiggins, Box 72, Guild, N. H. (92)

MIXTURE ON APPROVAL SORT OUT Pictorials, Commemoratives, return unwanted balance. Please send 25c deposit. Harold Paul (APS) 2295 Concourse, New York 53, N. Y. (12)

U. S. BANK MIXTURE 1/2 LB. FOR \$1.00; U. S. Commemoratives 1/2 lb. for \$1.00; U. S. Precancels, 1000 for \$3.00; U. S. Blocks used, 20 for \$1.00. Foreign on Approval, 1 cent each. Ecuador amazing mixture, 100 for 25c. Albert Zipper, 3226 Parade St., Erie 5, Pa. (12)

SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE ON KILOS 3 diff. all office, \$1.50; 15 diff. of which 6 office, \$1.50; postage included. Mailed from Gummesson, Stockholm, on or before August 30, on which date this offer expires. Send order to: Fairbrook, 133-21 Blossom Ave., Flushing, N. Y. (12)

100 DIFFERENT WORLDWIDE STAMPS for 25 cents. No approvals. Mitchell, 726 Washington St., Brookline, Mass. (92)

FREE 19th CENTURY U. S. WITH OUR FINE U. S. Mission Mixture guaranteed to please. \$2.00 each Order filled by air-mail. Shaffer, Box 7118, Cranwood Station, Cleveland 25, Ohio. (92)

GOOD QUALITY MIXTURES 30c PER 100; 1/2 lb. \$1.00. From sealed kilos, banks, and other sources. Thomas Bannington, Box 11, Vanderveer Station, Brooklyn 10, New York. (100)

THE MOST IMPORTANT \$3. YOU'LL spend. 3-way mixture, stamps and collection offer. 2 pound package containing mission stamps and instructions for 30 side-line collections. Additional selection of 30 actual items that go into these collections showing what to look for. These are the collections that get attention, and can be turned into profit among fellow collectors. Order from this ad receive scarce philatelic oddity, actually used to comply with postal law. All for \$3., while they last. Money refunded, if too late. Don Maust, 216 Coaling Street, Uniontown, Penna. (12)

200 SWISS ON PAPER 25c. NO APPROV- als. Gwen Finch, Wheatley, Ontario, Canada. (12)

NEW ISSUES

NEW - RECENT ISSUES. ADULTS QUAL- ity personalized selections. Martin Ehde, Amiret, Minnesota. (12)

OCCASION - SURINAME, LEPROSY SET B47/48 - CB4/5 and a Caribbean Exhibition set both nicely used for One Dollar. Verbrugge, Box 561, Paramaribo, Surinam. (12)

PACKETS

1000 MIXED, MOSTLY FOREIGN \$1.00. 200 Air Mails \$2.00. Plate Blocks 6 for \$1.00. Approvals if requested. Chas Alexander, 7080 Jericho Rd., Rockford, Mich. (12)

BULGARIA: 200 DIFFERENT, \$2.00; 400 different, \$5.00; 500 different, \$6.00. John L. Arnold, 710 14 St. N. W., Washington 5, D. C. ASDA. (12)

SELLING OUT REGARDLESS OF CATA- logue. 100 stamps from 100 countries, 50c; eleven packets, \$5.00, all different. Big Value. Gus Luhn, 720 1/2 Francis, St. Joseph, Mo. (12)

10,000 DIFFERENT WORLD. MAGNIFI- cent mounted collection \$39.90. Albert Plackett, Route 1-L, Ottawa, Illinois. (01)

HONEST VALUE USED MINT CLEAN world wide all different 200 for \$1.00. Tweedie Stamp, 936 McMillan, Winnipeg, Canada. (12)

PLATE BLOCKS

WHAT THIS YOUR CHOICE NUMBER or position from Minnesota to date (3c Commemoratives) @ 20c per plate block. Very fine or better. Price list for earlier issues sent upon request. H. R. Wilk, 7040 Roosevelt Blvd., Phila. 24, Pa. (12)

GRAND LIST WITH EXCHANGE PLAN. Recognized by thousands since 1946 as the standard mint plate values. Its accuracy defies imitation. Next eight issues \$2. Keep current with market. Subscribers can buy from Bargain List set to generally very fine matched sets as low as 64% over face. Buying prices upon request. A. B. Crane Box 351, Altoona, Pa. (12)

PLATE NUMBER SINGLES: COST LESS than Block, make neater display in your album. Want lists solicited. Irwin Stampco, Box 11, Brooklyn 30, New York. (12)

PLATE BLOCKS ON APPROVAL. NO. 894 to date. Peter Wetterquist, 1635-13th Avenue, Rockford, Illinois. (94)

THE HOUSE OF PLATES OFFERS MINT Plate Blocks, featuring very fine to Ex. Fine centering. Past, Present and Future Issues with complete Matched New Issue Service. Request price list. Paul Klempner, 2441 Webb Ave., New York 68. (94)

EXCHANGE SERVICE - BIG STOCK. Comm'n. Airm. Prexy's. Send ratio of 5 plates receive 4 positions wanted. Same issue or value. B. P. Merrell, 175 Sunset, Avon Lake, Ohio. (92)

VERY FINE PLATE BLOCKS ALL 3c Commemoratives Minnesota to date inclusive 15c each. Hand sets 76c. U. S. Lists. Very Fine Plate Blocks Wanted. Standard, 10404F Woodview, Parma Hts. 29, Ohio. (12)

5 MINT SETS C42-43-44 (6 SINGLES) given for Five Plate No. Blocks of the 5c Perry. R. Becker, Box 427-L, Summit, New Jersey. (93)

SELECT LARGE U. S. 3c USED COM- memora. Your choice in 100's or assorted 2980 to date @ 40c per 100 or exchange @ 40c per 100 against face value of nice Plate # Blks of 5c Perry or air mail Commem. Plates. Schad, 3127 Avalon Ct., Palo Alto, Calif. (12)

10 DIFFERENT PLATE BLOCKS \$8.00, 100 different \$19.00. Agency stock. Satisfaction Guaranteed. James Smith, 253 Squire Road, Haver, Mass. (12)

PLATE BLOCKS FOR SALE REASONABLE. Will trade positions even inside. John Hite, Delaware Ave., New Castle, Pa. (93)

PLATE NO. SINGLES

USED PLATE SINGLES CATALOGUE. ALL numbers since 1932 listed by positions. Know your values. Price \$2.00. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Hebert, Box 441, Gardena, California. (12)

POSTAL STATIONERY

POSTAL CARDS - ERRORS & VARI- eties of current issues. Request our price list. Collections of Postal Cards bought and sold. Howard L. Rarick, 844 Second St., Beaver, Pa. (12)

U. S. PRECANCELS

PRECANCELS ON APPROVAL. JOHN Gardella, Box 61, Placerville, California. (93)

PLENTY OF FUN - PLUS SAVINGS. OR- der an "envelope-full" of Precancels on approval. You will enjoy looking them over, and you should find a good many you need. Contains old and new Locals, old and new Bureau, plenty high catalog items included. Priced to sell. Return postage paid by us. Order a lot today - Enjoy Yourself - You Can't Lose. Ideal Stamp Company P. O. Box 316, Augusta, Georgia. (94)

25 DIFFERENT MISSOURI TANK TOWNS \$1.00. John Winn, Bolivar, Missouri. (94)

START YOUR BUREAU COLLECTION with 200 all fine different Presidential and Defense Bureau Precancels (\$2.00) 100 Loose Leaf album pages (\$3.) Guide to Precancel Collecting and Pricelist (\$1.50) As a lot \$24.50 value for ONLY \$10. plus 50c shipping charges. Gunesch Precancel House, 30 W. Washington St., Chicago 2, Illinois. (12)

PUBLICATIONS

PHILATELIC LITERATURE REVIEW: UN-ique guide to intelligent stamp collecting with bibliographies, publication reports, literature marketplace. Send \$1.00 annual membership subscription, including useful back issues. Sample copy free. Philatelic Library Association, Canajoharie 3, N. Y. (94)

GIANT PHILATELIC MAIL INCLUDING Magazines, 10c. No approvals. Wilbur Erickson, Englishtown, New Jersey. (93)

REVENUE

U. S. REVENUE STAMPED PAPER 11 different entire catalog over \$3.00 my price. \$1.00 rare value. Dress up your collection. William Vitale, Alhambra, California. (12)

SEALS

ALL TYPES OF SEALS CONSTANTLY being added to stock - Foreign, local, Red Cross. Miscellaneous. Want lists solicited. Amy Ellen Davis 6241 N. Bell Chicago 45, Ill. (12)

CHRISTMAS SEALS COMPLETE SET 1907 to 1952, \$20.00; 2nds, \$10.00; 20 different full sheets, \$3.00; 20c mixed, 25c. Howard M. Weaver, Waynesboro, Pa. (12)

WANTED: NATIONAL TUBERCULOSIS seals 1907-1920, also Foreign ones. Condos, 4861 Broadway, New York 34. (93)

SPECIAL OFFERS

NOTICE - SUMMER SPECIALS, 25% DIS- count on all material advertised in the past year in this and/or other stamp publications. Offer good July and August only. "Rare Value Vitale" Alhambra, California. (95)

\$2. RETAIL CLEARANCE LOTS \$1. BONUS - year's supply Gillette-type blades. S. T. Fardon, 92 Temple St., West Roxbury, Mass. (92)

100 EDUCATIONAL COLORFUL WESTERN Scenes Poster Stamps \$1.00, or mint U. S. Moore, 780 Orange, San Bernardino, Calif. (93)

ROOSEVELTIANA - COMPLETE MINT sets and FDC's. Send wants today. Dueterbeck, Box 111, Elk Mound, Wisconsin. (94)

MONACO BOSIO NUDES 200-11 FREE with our \$1.00 packet. \$5.00 cat. Val. Seibe Stamps, Box 101, Moorhead, Minnesota. (12)

WANTED

LARGE QUANTITIES 3c POSTAGE. ONLY 4% discount. Higher denominations 7%. 6c Airmails, 15c Specials also wanted. Prompt Remittance. Plate Blocks Incorporated, 3849 Greenhaw, Chicago, Illinois. (12)

HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID FOR stamps, Collections, accumulations and Dealers stock. Check by return air mail. A. Larsen 1423 Cleveland, Racine, Wis. (12)

CASH WAITING 1c to \$5. AIR - REGU- lar sheets for postage. Small discount. Also Sheets Famous Americans paying \$300. Flags \$36.00. China \$6.50. Instant payment. Louis Rosenthal, Levittown, New York. (12)

WANTED TO BUY U. S. COVERS FIRST Days. Send lots for prices estimate. Wm. Barr, 467 Oneida St., Pittsburgh 11, Pa. (97)

WILL PAY \$2.60 & UP PER 1,000 FOR large U. S. Commem. (Sorted, Packed per 100). Top prices paid for any U. S. Stamps in any quantity. (Est. 1934). Phil Gagne, APS, 304 Bates, Lewiston, Maine. (12)

FINLAND PLATE NUMBER BLOCKS OF six mint, well centered. Have some foreign and U. S. mint to trade, or will buy. Write first what you have, stating selling price. Carl P. Rueth, (APS, SPA), 617 Fair Ave., Sidney, Ohio. (12)

WE WILL PAY \$2.60 PER 1000 FOR U. S. Large Size Commemoratives. Lesser amount pro rata. Must be sorted. Prompt air mail cash payment. James Incorporated, 300-G West Main Street, Louisville, Kentucky. (12)

COVER COLLECTIONS, ALL EXCEPT U. S. FDC. Walter Brooke, Boyertown, Pa. (93)

CIGARETTE - TOBACCO CARDS. OLD Scrapbooks, Playing cards. Dr. Kurzkro, 9 East 96, NYC. (93)

6c FARLEY MARK SHEET. WILL PAY \$35.00 per sheet. A. O. Fleischman, 63 Oxford St., Bridgeton, N. J. (96)

WHO CAN SUPPLY ME WITH PLATE blocks as they come out. For details: H. R. Wilk, 7040 Roosevelt Blvd., Phila., 24, Pa. (92)

SELLING YOUR STAMPS? OFFER THESE to us. Our records show dealings from small collections to accumulation of oldest USA dealer - Outright cash purchase or if desired, auction. Get more for your stamps! Write today. S. Serebrakian, 16 Park Row, New York 38, Dept. L. (12)

1898 BATTLESHIP REVENUES WITH MA-chine printed cancellations. Submit for cash offer or advise trade needs. William Wolford, 788 East Broad, Westfield, New Jersey. (92)

BUNDLE STOCK, U. S. AND FOREIGN older issues. Advise what you have. Robert Weber, 207 Washington, Herkimer, N. Y. (92)

USED COMMEMORATIVES. BUYING LIST Free. Joseph Lukas, 4017 Markland, Philadelphia 24, Pa. (96)

MINT U. S. WANTED IN SINGLES, blocks, plate blocks, Souvenir Sheets, beginning with Victory Issue (#537) to present. Also Mint Israel. Immediate reply. Clarence Walker, Box 291, San Antonio, Texas. (93)

CASH FOR UNUSED U. S. POSTAGE stamps, 1/2c to 4 1/2c 4% discount, 5c to and including \$1.00 7% discount, 6c Airmails and 20c Special Delivery 8% Discount. Other stamp discounts quoted on request. Prompt remittance. Edward A. Livingston, 690 River Road, Beaver, Pennsylvania. (91)

NEED SHEETS IN QUANTITY: 5c OLYM-pic \$11.00; Maryland \$6.25; N. Y. Fair \$2.00; Inauguration \$3.25; Panama Canal \$3.50; Emancipation \$3.75. Include Miniatures & other sheets, plates, mint & used singles, accumulation for our offer. Mint Sheet Co., 276 W. 43, N. Y. 36. (12)

WHOLESALE

MAKE MORE MONEY! READ "STAMP Wholesaler" - World's Largest Magazine for the Stamp Dealer! Seven trial issues just \$1.00 to stamp dealers only. Stamp Wholesaler, Box 104, Burlington 5, Vermont. (12)

OUR WHOLESALE PRICELISTS FREE Universal Stampco, Inc. 110 East 23rd, New York 10. (12)

U. S. MINT PER 3. FOR BEST VALUES request wholesale list. G. M. Crane 507 Garber St., Hollidaysburg, Pa. (12)

U. S. MINT PER 10. FREE LISTS FOR dealers. James, Inc., 300-G West Main St., Louisville 2, Kentucky. (12)

"DEALERS" WRITE FOR OUR FREE wholesale price list of stamp and coin supplies - James, Inc., 300G West Main Street, Louisville, Kentucky. (12)

ISRAEL WHOLESALE APPROVALS SENT against references. Try a selection! Alma Stamp Company, Box 884-L, Monterey, California. (93)

UN TOPICAL STAMPS BELOW WHOLE-sale. List free. Sturm, 7123 9th St. N. W., Washington 12, D. C. (93)

PARCEL POST INSURANCE \$25.00, 5c. John Winn, Bolivar, Mo. (94)

CANADA 10-100 SEND FOR PRICE LIST. J. Maloney, 3454 Park Ave., Montreal. (12)

DEALERS - LIST FREE. PEARL BRO-thers, 478 Smith Street, Brooklyn 31, N. Y. (11)

\$21.00 CATALOG LOT. ABOUT 150 PIC-torials, airm. etc. Only \$2.00. Large lot \$55.00 catalog for \$5.00. Jumbo \$125.00 catalog for \$10.00. Halay, 132-B West 63rd, New York 23. (12)



HENRY M. FRIEDMAN
Box 21, Planetarium Sta.,
New York 24, N. Y.

ELIZABETH CORONATIONS - Reports from England indicate that most dealers had very few, if any, large advance orders from sheet collectors and accumulators. It was in England that the 1937 coronations were overbought, which resulted in the collapse of prices when the surplus was put on the market. This would indicate that there will probably be no large surplus of the Elizabeth Coronations and rumors are heard of shortages of several countries.

HONG KONG. The coarse impression set on rough surface paper No. 155A-162A is getting scarce and Fyndem in Stamp Collecting (London) picks the 30c used as the FYND of the week. Scott states that this set is perforated 14 1/2 x 14. Commonwealth Catalogue says 14 1/2 x 14 and Gibbons 15 x 14. Copies that I have seen are usually between 14 1/2 and 15 x 14.

It is sometimes difficult to distinguish between 161 and 161A, but the fingers will note the smooth surface of 161 and the heavy rough surface of 161A.

SOMALIA. The B. A. set 21-31 has been advancing due to demand and scarcity and it will probably continue to advance in price. The used stamps are scarcer than the mint.

BARBADOS. The 1938 one penny stamp No. 194 exists with two perforations, 13 1/2 x 14 and 14 all around. Scott's price is 40c mint. However, if perforated 13 1/2 x 14, Gibbons' price is 10 Pounds, although the Commonwealth Catalogue price is only 20 shillings.

This stamp is quite scarce mint and the used price is low.

SOUTHERN RHODESIA. The one shilling stamp No. 26 exists with various perforations 11 1/2, 14 and 15 x 14. The Scott price is 80c mint, regardless of perforation. If perforated 14 the Gibbons' price is 10 Pounds mint and 4 Pounds used.

The stamps of Southern Rhodesia have become popular and increases in price can be expected. Do not overlook the commemorative issues, such as 56-63, 64 and 73, and the recently issued Rhodes Centenary set.

Changes are in contemplation for the Central African Federation, which will include Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia and Nyasaland.

It is planned by Southern Rhodesia to issue a 2 1/2 pence stamp in November to commemorate the visit of Queen Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh.

GOLD COAST. The stamps of Gold Coast have increased in popularity and some issues are becoming difficult to obtain. Do not overlook the now obsolete set 115-127 which is still available at near new issue price.

Kresal President Of Wisconsin Federation

At the recent convention of the Wisconsin Federation of Stamp Clubs new officers were chosen for the next fiscal year. Stanley Kresal of Manitowoc was elected president. Other members of the official family are vice president Fred Noske of Milwaukee; and regional vice president Carl Light of Milwaukee, Lorelle Wolf of Madison and Art Schmitz of Eau Claire. Edward D. Hamilton of Oshkosh is the national representative.

Let your dealer know
Where you saw it!

Dealer ★

★ Doings

A rather comprehensive price list of mint and used singles and sets of German issues is sent free to requests by the Lowell Stamp Exchange, P.O. Box 633, Lowell, Mass. Included are the Locals Occupations, Booklets and Booklet Panes. Offered also are stamps of Austria, Belgium, France and other countries and a fully comprehensive offering of packets.

What he claims is the largest stock in the United States of the issues of Trieste is offered to the collecting public via an illustrated price list by Joseph Bush, 143 N. Garrett, Chula Vista, Calif. It is free as is the reprint of an article about these stamps written in an informative vein. He is advertising Trieste issues in this edition.

The Stamp Collector's Guild, Box 1, Staten Island, N. Y. has prepared

BARGAIN CLOSEOUTS

The following items are those that remain of the closed out stock which we will no longer handle. When these are gone there will be no more of this quality or at these prices.

For similar items such as Unit A,B,C,P. or X you will find the announcement in other issues of this paper. These units are being continued but at different prices and on better, heavier, paper.

It is suggested that those using the Jumbo Counter Books, in the three types offered, order immediately a goodly supply of them as these items are definitely being discontinued. The same could be said for the Blue Boy and Little Counter Sales pages number 4. We can not guarantee, much longer, the delivery on most of these items as our stock is rapidly being depleted by the far-sighted dealer and collector.

PLACE YOUR ORDER EARLY! Send second choice in case item is sold out!

	Price 35c	Mailing Weight 1 lb.
Unit A, C, or X. Album Pages	Price 40c (100 pages) Mailing Wgt. 1 lb.	
Little Counter Sales Page No. 4	Price 40c	Mailing Weight 2 lbs.
Ring Binder #854-8 1/2 x 5"	Price 20c	Mailing Weight 1 lb.
Jumbo Counter Books Singles	Price 20c	Mailing Weight 1 lb.
Jumbo Counter Books One Set	Price 20c	Mailing Weight 1 lb.
Jumbo Counter Books Two Sets	Price 20c	Mailing Weight 1 lb.
Blue Boy Album	Price 80c	Mailing Weight 2 lbs.
Roosevelt Pictures (Two Pictures)	Price 25c	Mailing Weight 1 lb.

(If you have a Roosevelt collection, these pictures make an ideal frontispiece.)

If you send too much postage, look for the "Refund Envelope" in your package. All overage will be returned.

No C.O.D.'s, No Charges, No Dealer Discounts. All Sales Final.

This is a close out sale and we want to move the entire stock of material. Many of the above items sold for as much as 4 times the prices listed.

ORDERS UNDER \$2.00 add 10c for handling.

LINN PHILATELIC PRODUCTS. SIDNEY, OHIO.

BY POPULAR DEMAND

Ever since we announced the discontinuance of our various album pages and other Philatelic Products a year and a half ago, we have been continually besieged by users of these various products and especially of the various album pages to continue their production. Our Black pages, Cover pages and certain of the standard white pages have been so popular that our readers insist that we again supply them.

After giving this matter the full consideration necessary, we have concluded that we will again offer a line of album pages only. None of the other products will be revived. In offering the album pages we have improved all of them by more thoroughly standardizing them.

We are now offering these pages on heavier paper of finer quality for all of our White pages. In bringing back these pages we have tried to make the prices in keeping with current high paper and printing costs and believe that those who have used these pages in the past will approve of what we are now offering.

ALL NEW PAGES . . . IN DOLLAR PACKS

All pages offered are standard 11 x 8 1/2 inch size, punched with three holes to fit the standard three ring binder of this same size.

ECONOMY ALBUM PAGE - Printed on 20 lb. white bond paper with quadrille in grey. Pack of 75 pages. **\$1.00**

PERPETUAL ALBUM PAGES - Printed on 100 lb. book paper of fine quality, quadrille background in grey, round cornered. Pack of 50 pages. **\$1.00**

BLACK ALBUM PAGES - Our famous Black Album Pages with quadrille background in white, heavy jet black paper. Pack of 35 pages. **\$1.00**

SILVER STREAK COVER PAGES - This page has been improved in that the title formerly at top of page has been omitted and a blank space left at top where you can letter in the type of covers you mount on these pages. Sold in packs of 25 pages round cornered with 25 glassine interleaves. Enough to mount 100 covers. Pack of 25 pages. **\$1.00**

FAMOUS UNIT SYSTEM PAGES

All of these UNIT pages are now printed on heavy 100 lb. fine book stock. Making an ideal page that has strength and body, plus fine appearance.

UNIT A - With heading for U. S. AIRMAIL STAMPS. Pack of 50 pages. **\$1.00**

UNIT B - With blank paneled heading so any name can be lettered in. Pack of 50 pages. **\$1.00**

UNIT C - With heading for U. S. COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS. Pack of 50 pages. **\$1.00**

UNIT P - With heading for U. S. POSTAGE STAMPS. Pack of 50 pages. **\$1.00**

UNIT X - A page with regular quadrille background in grey. Pack of 50 pages. **\$1.00**

GLASSINE INTERLEAVES

OUR GLASSINE INTERLEAVES for matching with all of above the regular pages so that they will not hang out around the edges of your pages when put in albums. Fine quality glassine, punched to fit 11 x 8 1/2 ring binders. Pack of 100 pages. **\$1.00**

On all of the above items, postage is extra and shipping weight on each pack is 2 lbs. except glassine, which is 1 lb. If ordering more than one pack at a time be sure to enclose sufficient postage. If too much postage is enclosed, any overage will be returned to you enclosed in the package in a small envelope, marked "POSTAGE REFUND".

ADDRESS YOUR ORDERS TO:

LINN PHILATELIC PRODUCTS, BOX 29 SIDNEY, OHIO

An Issue missed
May mean a bargain missed.

NEW AND RECENT ISSUES

Belgium—Tourists	.....6v	\$.81
Brasil—Bank, Congress	.....3v	.28
Cuba—3c ovpt., Special Deliv.	.....2v	.22
Czechoslovakia—Music Festival	.....2v	.53
Czechoslovakia—Postage	.....6v	1.20
France—Famous Men	.....6v	.57
Germany—Frankfurt, 2mk Pieck	.....5v	.27
Germany—Transport	.....4v	.32
Great Brit. & Offices Queen	.....9v	1.25
Greece—Fruit	.....7v	.82
Italy—Mountain, Agriculture	.....3v	.32
AMG—Italy—Mountain, Agriculture	.....3v	.32
Monaco—Dues	.....16v	1.70
Monaco—Publishers, Medical	.....5v	.20
Netherlands Ant.—Beckenberg	.....1v	.20
Nicaragua—Presidents	.....18v	1.95
Norway—Cape, Cancer	.....4v	.43
Panama—Estrella	.....2v	.24
Spanish Colonies—Music	.....12v	.16
Turkey—Anniversary—Miniature Sheet	.....165	

NO ORDERS UNDER \$1.00 PLEASE.
J. MARTIN 11 Cardigan Drive,
Ferguson, 21 Mo.

75¢

buys your copy of "SANABRIA'S AIR
POST & BRITISH EMPIRE NEWS" in-
cluding first complete catalog of all
stamps issued under the reign of Eliza-
beth II, to April 30, 1953.

Nicolas Sanabria Co. Inc.
A. MEDAWAR, PRES.
581 FIFTH AVE. NEW YORK 17, N. Y.

WHAT HAVE
YOU TO SELL?

What have we to offer? Our
check or cash for your stamps. You
are assured a top offer and prompt
payment for your merchandise.

We want to purchase whatever
you may have to dispose of. Col-
lections of United States and For-
eign, Asiatic, etc. Accumulations,
Mixtures, Job Lots, Old and Rare
Items, Sheets, Dealers Stocks,
Etc.

JOHN BALTER & CO.
168 W. 46th St., N. Y. 36, N. Y.

Vatican City Vatican City
ALL MINT

1-13	.....	2.95
14	.....	1.15
19-24	.....	3.00
41-46	.....	6.25
47-54	.....	4.80
55-60	.....	1.65
61-67	.....	1.00
156-7 New Issues	.....	.25
New Issue 13 Val.	.....	1.35
100 Diff.	.....	2.10
150 Diff.	.....	7.50
60 Diff.	.....	.60
White Ace Album with Pages all Complete For Vatican City	.....	7.50

A New Issue Service for Vatican City
and Israel.

V. MAYER
P.O. BOX FF ANTIOCH, CALIF.

B. J. HUNTER

110 King's Hall Bldg.
MONTREAL 25, Can.

Colony & Date	#	Cat. Price
Ascension (Used \$9.50)	33-36	\$20.20 \$ 9.00
Barbados 1916-18	127-39	41.92 21.00
Barbados 1925-35	165-79	20.75 10.00
Bahamas 1917-24	24-25	10.80 2.75
Bahamas L'fall	116-29	24.25 9.00
Burma 1938 (30-33 \$16)	18a-33	65.80 19.00
Burma 1939	34-27	36.75 8.75
Gilbert & E. (27-31 \$7)	1-11	27.75 13.00
Malikanda (Used \$14)	99-100	30.20 17.50
" 1933 (13 \$8.50)	65-72	24.15 9.50
Montserrat 1932	75-84	78.20 32.00
Newfoundland (8c 110a) 104-14	49.15	21.00
St. Lucia (Used \$11)	95-106	22.10 10.00
Sarawak 1946	155-58	7.75 2.35
S. Africa Royal Visit 1947	.....	3.38 1.15
G.B. Olympic Games 20 vals.	.....	5.02 2.50
S.M. Jubilee, 1935 fine used (249)	.....	96.00

DEALERS
ONLY

Stolow's wholesale lists
are world famous. If you
are not on our mailing
list drop us a line today
on your letterhead.

J. & H. STOLOW
50 W. 46th St.
NEW YORK 19, N. Y.

**MONKIEST
MONKEY**

Direct from the Librarian Junglist
Plus 1512 More
ALL DIFFERENT
range in a giant
collected collection
made up specially
PETER PAN!
All Off
Paper
YOURS
for
ONLY
\$1.00
(a guaranteed cat. value of \$3.91)

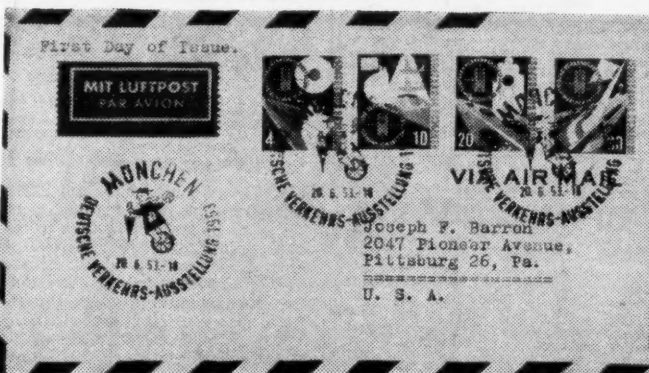
We find hundreds and hundreds of the most fasci-
nating stamps at the ridiculous rate of 15 STAMPS
OR 1¢.

This GIANT collection contains a complete set of
the famous Chinese "TINY-TOTS", a set of the large
German stamps; medieval tax collectors; 5 MILLION
cents NOT from Germany; a complete set of unfin-
ished, made obsolete by Soviet conquests, (a special-
ly item, listed in Europ. cat.); a beautiful set of
flowers, animals, ships, monuments, landscapes
& presidents; many inflationary, provisional is-
sues, & overprints... always hard to find.

This is a once-in-a-lifetime offer to see
and purchase an interesting foreign collection.

Don't Wait! Mail Your Dollar
Now! Request coll. No. MLS37

162 Newark Avenue
Jersey City 2, N. J.



A SET FOR THE TRANSPORTATION COLLECTORS. On June 20, Germany issued a set of four stamps to memorialize the Transportation Exhibition at Munich. A clever postmark at the left on the cover. Pictured is a man on a unicycle with an umbrella in one hand and a package in the other. The stamps are a 4pf brown for the railroad; a 10pf green for airplanes; 20pf red for automobiles; 30pf blue ships. Each has a picture of the type transportation and a symbolical figure in the design plus the trademark of the exhibition. The cover is shown through the courtesy of Joseph F. Barron, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Our Famous
Americans

4¢ COLUMBIAN STAMP

Left—
ISABELLA I — born in Madrid 1451 — died in 1504. Queen of Spain, she married FERDINAND V of Aragon; after the death of her brother Henry IV, she was also Queen of Castile and Leon (1474-1504).

She and Ferdinand were known as the "Catholic Sovereigns" — Isabella's religious zeal expressed itself in the conquest of Granada, the last Moorish stronghold in Spain; she encouraged the Inquisition, persecution of the Jews, and church reform with the help of Cardinal Jimenez.

In 1492 she financed the voyage of Columbus to the New World by pledging her jewels.

Right—
CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS — born in Genoa, Italy 1451 — died in 1506. Astronomer, navigator, explorer; as early as 1474 he conceived the idea of sailing westward to reach the East Indies. He went from palace to palace attempting to find a sponsor for his expedition. He was refused at Portugal, but finally after seven years, Ferdinand and Isabella furnished him with three ships and 120 men and designated Columbus as "Admiral of the Ocean."

On October 12, 1492 they sighted the island of San Salvador, and America was discovered.

H.M. Brehm
NEW LONDON, WIS.

Slogan To Mark
Panama's Jubilee

October has been tentatively set as the time when use will be made of the slogan cancellation in the Canal Zone commemorating the 50th Anniversary of Canal Zone Relations with the Republic of Panama.

Such a slogan die was requested by the Caribbean Stamp Club of Ancon, Canal Zone some time ago to coincide with the 50th Anniversary of Panama's Independence.

A sketch for the die was made by Mrs. Sidnie Holbrook, a club member.

Additional details will be re-
leased when the date has been
definitely established. At that time
collectors can obtain an impres-
sion of the slogan on their pre-
pared covers.

Mound City Elects
Pope President

John D. Pope III was elected to the presidency of the Mound City Stamp Club, St. Louis, Mo. at the annual meeting. Serving as vice presidents are W. R. DeKay, Jr. and Mrs. John D. Pope III. The secretary is Mrs. W. R. DeKay, Jr., and the treasurer J. C. Pennington.

Currently, the officers and members are executing plans for the annual Open House and Exhibition which is to be staged at the DeSoto Hotel from October 9 to 11.

A mother and child are pictured on a stamp to publicize Child Care Week, 1947, of Brazil.

POSTAGE STAMP
PARADE

LEONARD EPSTEIN

22 Beaver St., New York 4, N. Y.

ANGOLA — Following the cus-
tom of other Portuguese Colonies,
this colony will issue a new post-
age set featuring animal life native
to the colony. Values, according
to Whitfield King & Company are
to be: 5c, 10c, 20c, 30c, 40c, 50c,
1a, 1.50a, 2a, 2.30a, 3a, 3.50a, 4a,
5a, 7a, 10a, 12.50a, 15a and 20a.

ARGENTINA — A 50c stamp is
to be issued in commemoration
of the fourth centenary of the
founding of the city of Santiago
Del Estero. On July 14, postal sta-
tionery was issued with a portrait
of Eva Peron.

AUSTRALIA — A 1d Queen Eliz-
abeth II stamp is to be issued on
August 19 similar in design to the
already issued 3d stamp. This new
stamp is to replace the current 1d
portraying Elizabeth as a princess.
Also announced are new 7d, 2 shilling,
and 5 shilling postage due
stamps which are to appear on
August 26.

BRAZIL — Two stamps have
been issued by this country. One,
issued July 12, a 1.20Cr. gray
stamp, commemorates the tenth
International Nursing Conference.
The second, issued on July 15, was
issued in honor of the Fourth
Baptist Youth World Conference,
held in Rio de Janeiro. The value
is 3.80 Cr., blue-green, an airmail.

ITALY — A two value Agricul-
tural Exposition set appeared July
15, according to P. Ostrow. The
values are 25 lire, brown and 60
lire ultramarine. The design shows
a seated "Italia."

JAMAICA — On November 24 a
2½ pence stamp is to be issued in
commemoration of the visit of
Queen Elizabeth II and the Duke
of Edinburgh to the colony at that
time.

LIECHTENSTEIN — On the oc-
casion of the 14th International
Scout Conference, this country is
to issue in August a four-value set
of adhesives, honoring the Boy

LIBERIA

EXCLUSIVELY

E. M. Kemeny

5407 Fernwood Ave.
Hollywood 27, Calif.

Coronations Q. E. II.

	Mint	Used	FDC
60 Crown Cols. (42) epl.	1.95	3.50	\$22.50
Plate blocks of 4	8.95	14.00*	
Imprint blocks of 8	17.95		
Full Sheets of 60	109.95		
16 Dominions (44) epl.	5.30	7.50	15.00
Plate blocks of 4	24.00	29.95*	
Imprint blocks of 8	48.00		
Part Sheets of 60	339.50		
Full Sheets of 120	669.50		
78 Cr. Col. & Dominions, (106) epl.	7.25	10.95	32.50
Plate blocks of 4	34.95	43.95*	
Imprint blocks of 8	64.95		
Part & Full Shts of 60	399.95		
Full Sheets of 120	799.50		

FIRST DAY COVERS.

Beautiful, multicolor, cacheted CORONA-
TION FDC of Australia, Gr. Britain, N. Z.,
S. Rhodesia, S.W.A., \$1.00 each; Bahrain,
Kuwait, Tangier, \$1.20 each; Muscat \$1.50.
CROWN COLONIES FDC—10 diff. \$1.95
15 diff. \$2.95; 20 diff. \$3.95; 25 diff. \$5.00;
B.W.I., FDC—18 diff. epl. \$4.50

SPECIAL CORONATION

ALBUM \$1.95

NEW ARRIVALS

	Mint	Covers
Aden, New Q. E.	6.80	7.50
Egypt, "3 Bars" (31 vals.)	10.95	
Tonga, New Pict.	5.50	6.50
Maldives, #20-30	3.25	7.50

BOMBAY PHILATELIC CO.

65 Nassau Street
New York 38, N. Y.

Scouts. Each stamp will show the
late Lord Baden Powell and a hand
giving the Scout's salute. Values
are to be 10r, 20r, 25r and 40r.

NEW ZEALAND — A competi-
tion is being held by this country
for designs for a stamp or set of
stamps scheduled for 1955, com-
memorating the 100th anniversary
of the dominion's first postage
stamps. Entries will close October
15 and £50 will be paid for each
design accepted.

SWITZERLAND — On August
29, a 40c stamp will be issued to
mark the inauguration of the Klo-
ten-Zurich airport.

GERMANY (West Zone) — Two
stamps will be issued to mark the
rebellion in East Germany on June
17. A 20pf adhesive will bear the
date and two shackled hands and
a 30pf will show the date and the
Brandenburg Gate in Berlin.

YUGOSLAVIA — The 50th anni-
versary of the national rising in
Macedonia will be marked with
15 and 30 dinar stamps.

Elizabeth Stamps
Pictured, Described

"The Stamps of Elizabeth Regina
and the Royal Family" by Frank-
lin R. Bruns could appear at no
more opportune than the present
when interest in Britain's royal
family, especially the queen, is
so intense.

As the title of this some 40-odd
page book indicates the postage
issues pertaining to the Common-
wealth's current monarch are writ-
ten about and pictured, with the
added filip of a review of the
stamps which have pictured oth-
ers of Britain's rulers since the be-
ginning of adhesives.

There are two very satisfying fea-
tures in Mr. Bruns' book. One,
biographical and historical data
which is easily incorporated into
the write-up for each issue, and
two, a comprehensive check list of
all the pertinent stamps identified
with Scott Catalog numbers.

Mr. Bruns, of course, is no
stranger to philatelists for he is
the curator of the Division of Phi-
latelically of the Smithsonian Insti-
tution, a newspaper stamp column-
ist and a member of a number of
influential philatelic organizations.
His easily read style of writing
is well known.

Publishers of the book are the
Washington Press, 43 William St.,

Mexico Offers \$1. Each

200 Diff. Mexican revenue stamps.....
50 Diff. Mexican revenue BIRD stamps.....
100 Diff. face Mexican postage stamps.....
3 sheets Oaxaca poster stamps:.....
25 Diff. Bks. of 4 used Mex. postage.....
HARTLEY'S Mexican revenue catalogue.....
All above postpaid. Satisfaction guaran-
teed. Send bills, your personal check or
Cashier's check. No P.O. orders.
WANT LISTS solicited.

ENRIQUE HERSCHKOWITZ,

Palma 45, Mexico City, Mexico
Member APS-SPA-ARA-NFS-COROSAuction Sale
August 20, 21

Collection of 80,000 diff Whole World in 16 volumes!
British Colonies, 10,000, 12,000 diff., etc.

Ask for free catalogue of this Remarkable Sale.

S. SEREBRAKIAN

15 Park Row
New York 38, N. Y.IS THERE A SAILBOAT
In YOUR Collection?

SOUNDS ODD—BUT IT MAY BE TRUE

And there's a quick way to find
out. We need stamps—practically
anything and everything from
small lots to large general or
specialized collections. We need
these stamps urgently and, be-
cause we need them at once, are
offering considerably more than
current prices.

Send us your collection today for
an immediate appraisal. You may
find our liberal cash offer just
what you need to make you the
skipper. It all depends on what
you have to offer.

This is the time for sailing—
so send us your collection now
with the assurance it will be held
intact pending your acceptance
of our offer.

YES, THERE MAY BE A SAILBOAT IN YOUR COLLECTION:

S. H. ENGEL & CO.

38 Park Row

New York 38, N. Y.

We can also use any U. S. Stamp Cat. 25c or more damaged condition (thin
slight tears, etc.)—10% of cat. value for any size lot. Check by return mail.

Newark 2, N.J. Copies can be ob-
tained from them at 60c postpaid.

TOPICALS ARE TOPS

We handle them all.
For more downright philatelic pleasure,
ask for a selection on approval.
"SEEKING IS BELIEVING"
Vern B. Matson
2805 PARK AVE.
MINNEAPOLIS 7, MINN.

MINT LIBERIA

250-70	.....\$1.00	300-12, C63-4	2.50
250-71, C51	1.25	330-1, C67	1.35
300, C54-6	.35	350-7, C68-8	1.30
305-8, C58-60	.85	C37-44	.75

FREE: Bargain Basement Lists of Sets
MARTIN SELLINGER
U. S. CATALOG
116 NASSAU ST. NEW YORK, N. Y.

Plate Block Collections

of U. S. Commemoratives and Air-
mails at pre-fall prices:
50 All Different\$ 7.95
100 All Different 19.00

KENNETH THOMPSON

5426 W. Walton St.
Chicago 51, Ill.

Official JET AIRMAIL COVER

Dayton to Wash. D. C. — 54 minutes
May 30 — P. O. Cachet & Backstamped

Only 50c

with our latest
U. S. CATALOG
BUCKEY STAMP CO.
208 Ludlow Bldg., Dayton 2, Ohio

Duck Stamps Wanted

ANY QUANTITY IN MINT AND
USED CONDITION.
ALSO NEED PLATES AND SHEETS.
THE POSTON COMPANY
168 Greene St., New York 12, N. Y.

TO BE OFFERED IN THE

NEW SEASON . . .

The "Sir Lindsay Everard" Col-
lection of UNITED STATES and
LATIN AMERICA AIR POST
ISSUES.

H. R. HARMER, INC.

32 East 57th Street New York 22, N. Y.

OUR

PACKET PRICE LIST

(ESTABLISHED 1929)

1000 Different

Better grade packets offered in our

FREE PACKET LIST.

Write for yours today.

H. E. WILSON & CO.

Box 500D Encino, Calif.

The Known And The Unknown

My Italian stock does not stop with
Scott-listed stamps. It includes, for
instance, the Franchise stamps, Parti-
san locals and many others. Not cheap,
but scarce and fascinating. I'll be
glad to submit on approval
against references.

P. OSTROW

P. O. Box 121-N Elizabeth, N. J.

- UNITED STATES
- BRITISH COLS.
- AIRMAILS - U.P.U.
- FOREIGN
- WHOLESALE -
PACKETS

Rev
Aus
A 3
comm
of the
Young
will b
will r
post o
month
The s
colors,
central
will be
ored co
design,
ers' Clu
and a
Tasm
Set S
Three
used by
General
23 to co
tenary c
They wi
post off
month.
The se
pence a
stamp.
The 31
small siz
and will
the sam
claret. C
Governor
Lieuten
The 2
color, v
(40.5 m
present
Robert.
AN EX
Seare U
mural to
display. A
small val
approvals
number of
Tatha